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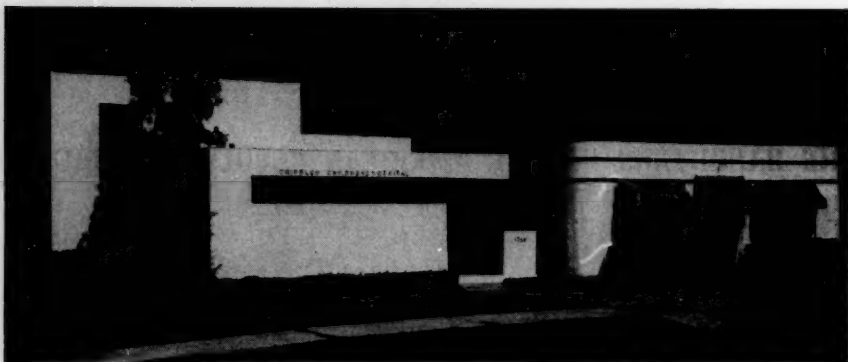
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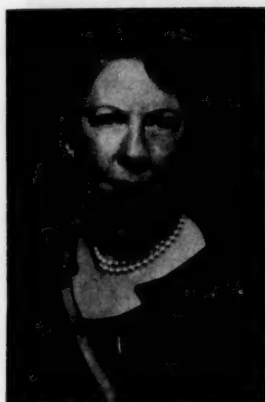
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The President General's Message



IT IS the earnest desire of the President General that many Chapters attain places on our Honor Rolls, to denote that they have maintained progress during the year in carrying out our Society's historical, educational and patriotic objectives and in helping our Society grow and expand its work for preservation of our Constitutional Government and American Way of Life.

Requirements on the Honor Roll form a simple summary of some of our important missions. If a Chapter can answer "yes" to all twelve questions, it will have accomplished much for our diversified programs; if a Chapter can answer "yes" to eleven of the points, it will have had a vital share in our splendid reports; if a Chapter can answer "yes" to ten of the questions, it deserves Honorable Mention.

All Chapters that can answer "yes" to at least ten of the requirements must send their blanks PRIOR TO MARCH 1 to Mrs. Chester F. Miller, National Chairman of the Honor Roll Committee. A copy should be sent to the State Chairman. Official certificates will be presented to all Gold and Silver Honor Roll Chapters. The Regents will receive small gold or silver ribbons.

Interest manifested by the Chapters in this Honor Roll is superb. Your President General is sincerely grateful.

With our national fund-raising campaigns of the past five years out of the way, it seems right and proper thus to concentrate on our fundamental principles. Our Society has played vital roles for "Home and Country" in its 63 years; its present and future projects seem even more essential now than ever before in these crucial times.

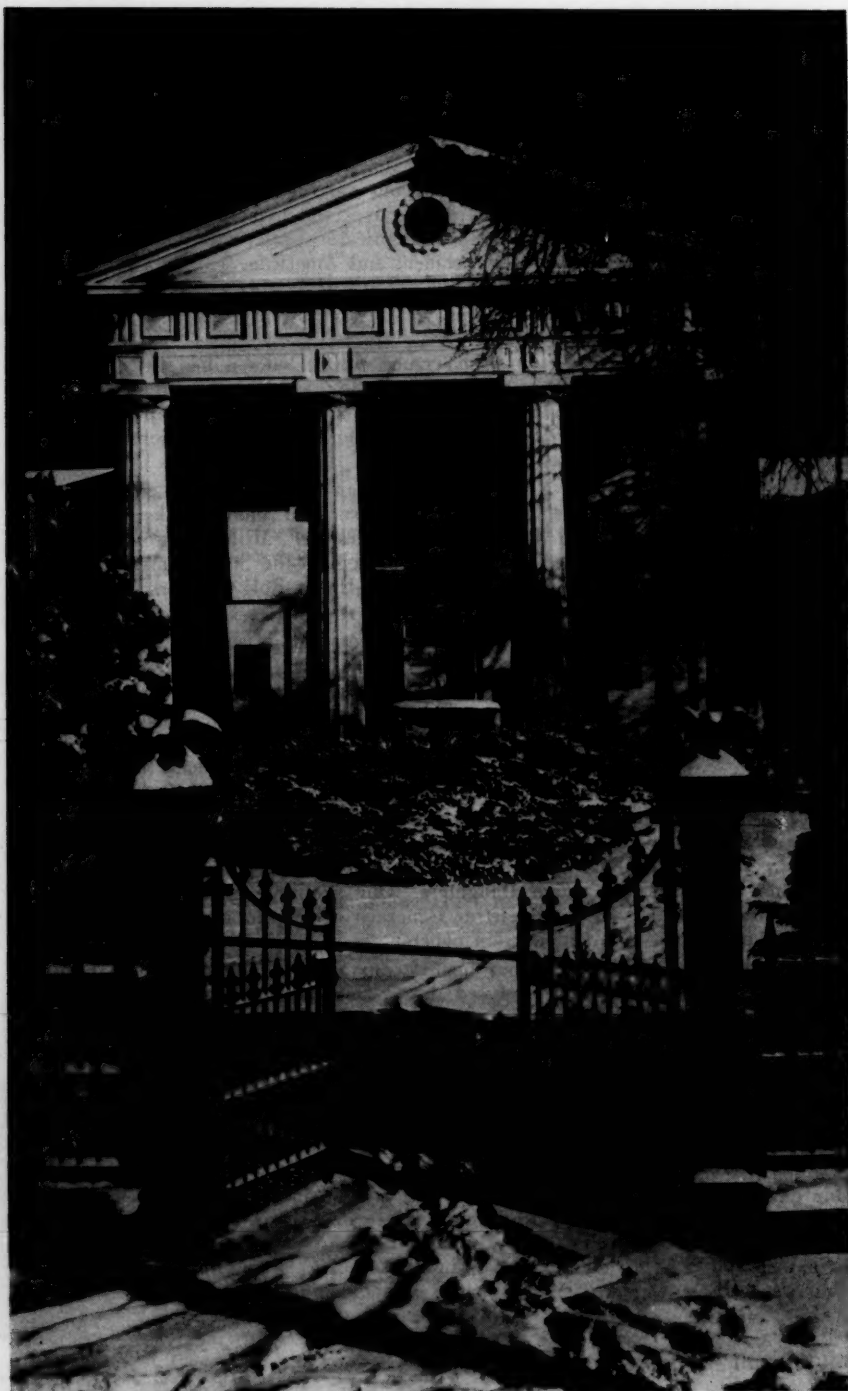
At the February 1 Board Meeting 2,515 new members were admitted into our National Society, a record number for a February Board meeting. There were 1,356 members taken into our Society December 2. At the two meetings 417 members were reinstated. We are delighted to have these additional members, and trust that they will become informed and active Daughters. Our gratitude goes to the loyal staff workers and genealogists in the Registrar General's office who worked Saturdays and holidays to pass on so many application papers.

With the largest membership in our history, our Society can do much to help our country in these troublous and confused days. Our patriotic endeavors have three approaches: *historical appreciation*, because understanding of the past is necessary for future progress; *patriotic effort*, for better citizenship today; and *educational training*, to assure understanding, support and appreciation of our American principles.

During World War I our gifts aggregated \$9,000,000. In World War II our contributions covered every field, including \$206,619,715 for War Bonds and Stamps; \$1,311,666 for War Projects; and \$1,279,848, as well as many hours of service for the Red Cross. Our Headquarters was lent for the use of Red Cross agencies.

Our patriotic work and interest are just as essential during times of peace or cold war as they are during active warfare. Any way we can assist in our D. A. R. Committee undertakings is, directly or indirectly, helping our country. Accordingly, every member and Chapter should do all possible to help in all our projects, thus aiding in our mission to practice, teach and preach the importance of understanding, valuing and preserving our American Way.

Gertrude S. Carraway
President General, N. S. D. A. R.



THE OLD STATE HOUSE IN THE SNOW—LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

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The Application of Constitutional Restraints to the Treaty-Making Power

BY SENATOR JOHN W. BRICKER

MOST great political issues involve a choice between a government of men and a government of constitutional restraints. That choice is presented by my proposed constitutional amendment (S. J. Res. 1). Opponents of the amendment say that men—the Administration, President, Secretary of State, the Senate, or an informed popular majority—can be trusted not to permit abuse of the treaty-making power. Having in mind Mr. John Foster Dulles' warning last year that treaties "can cut across the rights given the people by their constitutional Bill of Rights," supporters of S. J. Res. 1 find confidence in men too slender a reed on which to rest their cherished freedoms. They appreciate the political wisdom thus expressed by Thomas Jefferson:

"In questions of power, let no more be said of confidence in man, but bind him down from mischief by the chains of the Constitution."

Section 1 of S. J. Res. 1 provides:

"A provision of a treaty which conflicts with this Constitution shall not be of any force or effect."

The necessity for the above provision has been proved by experts in the field of international law, by judicial decisions, and by various UN draft treaties. For example, Mr. John Foster Dulles, before becoming Secretary of State, concluded that "treaty law can override the Constitution." In *Missouri v. Holland*, 252 U. S. 416 (1920), the Supreme Court strongly implied that the only test for the validity of a treaty was the making of it by the President with the advice and consent of the Senate. Finally, the United Nations and its satellite agencies are working on scores of treaties that conflict with the Constitution of the United States.

A few early patriots foresaw the danger that has come to pass. Patrick Henry said in the Virginia state ratifying convention:

"Sure I am, if treaties are made infringing our liberties, it will be too late to say our constitutional rights are violated." Patrick Henry's contemporaries believed the Constitution to be supreme over the conflicting provisions of a treaty. That view was upheld in the language of early Supreme Court cases. For example, in the *Cherokee Tobacco* case the Court said:

"It need hardly be said that a treaty cannot change the Constitution or be held valid if it be in violation of that instrument." (78 U. S. 616, 620).

A change in judicial thinking became evident in *Missouri v. Holland*. Mr. Justice Holmes placed great emphasis on the fact that whereas Article VI of the Constitution requires laws to be made "in pursuance thereof," treaties become the supreme law of the land merely by virtue of their being made under the authority of the United States." The latter phrase, said Holmes, might mean nothing more than the formal acts required to make the treaty.

On July 22, 1953, Senator Knowland introduced a substitute for S. J. Res. 1. Section 1 of the Administration substitute, like Section 1 of S. J. Res. 1, provides that a treaty provision in conflict with the Constitution shall be of no force or effect. That is all the two proposals have in common.

It is doubtful that the Administration favors any constitutional restriction on the treaty-making power. Since the introduction of the substitute, no high Administration official has praised it as a wise curb on the treaty power. In fact, Administration spokesmen deny the need for any treaty-control amendment.

The Administration substitute evidently has a political purpose. Whoever inspired its introduction knew that it could never become part of the Constitution. For example, section 3 of the substitute would confirm the power of treaties to take

powers from the States and transfer them to the Federal government or to the UN. No reasonable man could believe that three-fourths of the States would ever ratify their own death warrant. However, the Administration substitute has served to confuse the issue.

If the Administration was in favor of its own substitute, we might reasonably expect to see a radically different attitude toward some of the more dangerous UN draft treaties. Instead, representatives of the United States are actively working in drafting the UN Human Rights Covenants and the UN draft Statute for an International Criminal Court. Those treaties conflict with the Constitution within the meaning of both S. J. Res. 1 and the proposed substitute. Our UN representatives have not denounced these treaties, except perhaps to say that the United States does not feel inclined at present to sign them.

In the Genocide Convention, the American Bar Association has found a number of provisions in conflict with the Constitution. Such provisions would be invalid under the terms of S. J. Res. 1 and under the language of the Administration substitute as well. If the Administration regarded its substitute as something more than a political stratagem, it could be expected not to press for ratification of the Genocide Convention until some safeguarding amendment had been adopted. Recently, however, United States delegates to the UN voted for a resolution calling on all nations to ratify the Genocide Convention.

Section 2 of S. J. Res. 1 provides:

"A treaty shall become effective as internal law only through legislation which would be valid in the absence of treaty."

The first part of Section 2 makes all treaties non-self-executing as domestic law. The same rule prevails in almost every other country. In the United States, on the other hand, treaties can become the supreme law of the land without clarifying legislation, and thus have unexpected and serious consequences. Those far-reaching and unintended consequences are prevented by S. J. Res. 1. They would not be prevented by the Administration substitute.

The second part of Section 2 of S. J. Res. 1 is the so-called "which clause." That clause reverses the doctrine of *Missouri v.*

Holland. The Court held in that case that a treaty could give Congress power to legislate on subjects which, in the absence of treaty, were reserved to the States by the Tenth Amendment. As a result, no American lawyer will take issue with Mr. Dulles' conclusion that "treaties can take powers from the States and give them to the Federal government or to some international body." My amendment prevents that result. The Administration substitute authorizes it.

It is ridiculous to assert that the treaty-making power has worked well for 164 years and, therefore, no amendment is necessary. We have lived for only 33 years under the doctrine of *Missouri v. Holland*. Moreover, no advantage was taken of the loophole opened up by that case until after the establishment of the United Nations Organization in 1945.

My amendment restores the treaty-making power to the function intended by the framers of the Constitution. It subjects the treaty-making power to the constitutional restraints which they created but which have been breached in recent years. Jefferson, for example, said in his *Manual of Parliamentary Practice*:

"It [the treaty power] must have meant to except out all those rights reserved to the States; for surely the President and the Senate cannot do by treaty what the whole Government is interdicted from doing in any way."

The Administration substitute authorizes the President and the Senate to do what Jefferson said they could not do.

Until the decision in *Missouri v. Holland*, Jefferson's view of the treaty-making power found some judicial support. Mr. Justice White, for example, said in *Downes v. Bidwell*, 182 U. S. 244, 312:

"Indeed a treaty which undertook . . . to enlarge the Federal jurisdiction would be simply void."

What Mr. Justice White condemned in 1900 is expressly sanctioned by the Administration substitute for S. J. Res. 1.

Section 3 of S. J. Res. 1 provides that Congress shall have power to regulate the making of executive and other international agreements. It would enable Congress to prevent the President from by-passing the treaty clauses of the Con-

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The Essence of Freedom

BY ROBERT MONTGOMERY

WHEN the news of young America's novel design for living in freedom reached it, the Old World shook its head with profound skepticism. It would never work, they said. The idea was too "revolutionary," too "progressive," too "radical," and certainly too "liberal." The prevailing sentiment was that this new-fangled system would promptly fall apart, that the Americans were too immature for self-government, and that political anarchy and social chaos would soon engulf them.

Yet today, though we are still youthful as a nation, we have one of the oldest continuous governments in existence. In spite of this conspicuous success it seems to have been a disappointment to some of our modern critics and skeptics. It seems to have fallen short of what they believe it should have accomplished. One of the most baffling of historical mysteries is how the reactionary of 1787—the man who said it couldn't be done, the advocate of all-powerful government, the believer in absolutism—could now be the "liberal" of 1953.

The latter-day "liberal" is actually the direct opposite of the true liberal as that term was originally understood. One of these self-styled modern liberals recently defined himself in the following language: "A liberal is one who believes in utilizing the full force of government for the advancement of social, political, and economic justice at the municipal, state, national, and international levels."

Everyone is thoroughly in favor of advancing social, political, and economic justice at all levels, just as everyone is thoroughly against sin at all levels. But the crux of the matter revolves around the ways and means by which we are to promote this admittedly most worthy end. And, according to the "liberal" approach just mentioned, the answer lies in "utilizing the full force of government" as the most appropriate means for attainment of the end. According to this view, the end justifies the means. But mark those words the "full force of government." What kind of government would that be? What kind

of government would it lead to? "Full force" suggests a government without limitations or restraints, a government of boundless authority. What would prevent such a government from invading any and all spheres of political, economic, and social activity under the pretext of advancing justice and promoting the general welfare? What countervailing force would there be to resist its successive encroachments on our constitutional guarantees? What, in short, would prevent such a policy in the conduct of our affairs, disguised as liberalism, from ultimately emerging as undisguised totalitarianism?

The people who clamor noisily for more and more government, for government by full force and of everything, assert that those in authority would always act with prudence and restraint, curbing their own powers and preserving the basic liberties of the people. This, however, would be a practical impossibility, first, because it belies human nature and, second, because government intervention by its very nature leads inevitably to more intervention. Government financing, for example, implies government control, and government control may lead very easily to government ownership.

The special pleaders for statism constantly insist that while all-powerful government might be inherently bad under a despot or dictator it can be a perfectly wholesome thing under democratic auspices where the principle of majority rule prevails. This ignores the fact that even under self-government the people must be protected against themselves. It makes the dangerous assumption that the majority is infallible and can do no wrong. It forgets that a broad franchise and free political institutions might produce a popular tyranny with an even greater potential for evil than that of royal absolutism or aristocratic privilege. It is blind to the historical record of governments that evolved from democracies into tyrannies. If men use their liberty in such a way as

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The Wooden Church Crusade, Inc.

FULTON LEWIS, JR., radio commentator of fame throughout the country, has brought to the attention of the D. A. R. MAGAZINE the Wooden Church Crusade, a movement to help build the "spiritual wall" against communism in Western Germany.

Its goal, according to an official release, is to build as many small wooden frame structures as possible from funds collected. No more than \$25,000 to be spent on any one wooden church, the size of each depending upon the size of the church membership to be served.

The church memberships are there, the men of God are there, but the church facilities are not. In Munich alone, for instance, 47 major churches were totally destroyed in World War II, 29 badly damaged and 15 partially damaged; a total of 23 smaller churches were either totally destroyed or partially damaged, for a total of 114 unusable houses of worship in that city alone. In Western Germany, 45% of all churches were destroyed, badly damaged or partially damaged.

Mr. Lewis, in his syndicated column, writing about the Wooden Church Crusade, said, "During my own visit to Europe this past summer (1951) the lack of religious facilities and the disinterest of youth in their churches was evident . . . due largely, perhaps, to the lack of churches. Thus many thousands of German young and old are deprived of religious practice and training. Now they are being bombarded with Communist propaganda without any firm religious faith to combat it."

"The need for places of worship is obvious; but the need is for now, not twenty years from now," it is pointed out by Crusade officials. "Twenty years from now the German people may again be in a position to rebuild or erect beautiful houses of

worship. In the meantime, what better expedient than to erect as many temporary wooden churches as possible. Without spiritual rearmament now, as well as military rearmament, twenty years from now may be too late.

"Think of the influence one hundred of these wooden structures would exert on the youth of Western Germany. What better weapons to fight Communism! And yet, one hundred of these temporary churches would not cost as much as one bomber.

"This Crusade is modest, it is specific, it is simple in its execution.

"A strong bulwark in Western Germany is United States' best defense against Communism."

The project is non-denominational: however, separate accounts are kept and the donor may earmark his gift for either Protestant, Catholic or Hebrew houses of worship. Some national organizations, like the American Legion, are building their own churches there.

The Wooden Church Crusade is incorporated in Wisconsin with headquarters at Burlington, Wisconsin. The executive Committee is composed of American Citizens: Richard A. Kinzer, President of Burlington Mills Incorporated, Burlington, Wisconsin, President; Richard B. Skeen, Chief Copy Writer, Cramer Krasselt, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, Vice President; Rev. George B. Cady, Minister, Kenosha, Wisconsin, Vice President; Elmer Ganswindt, Vice President Bank of Burlington, Burlington, Wisconsin, Secretary and Treasurer. All of these men are serving on a voluntary basis. This is in line with the Crusade's policy of keeping expenses to a minimum in order that every possible dollar collected may go toward the construction of the Wooden Churches.

TWO ANNUAL HEALTH DRIVES SCHEDULED

March 18 launches the annual Easter Seal campaign to obtain funds for the crippled children who are served by the 1,200 affiliated local societies of the National Society for Crippled Children and Adults, Inc.

April has been designated by Act of Congress as Cancer Control Month. It is estimated that this dread disease will kill 230,000 persons during 1954.

Both these drives will, as usual, be assisted by Daughters of the American Revolution, who contribute *individually* with donations and by helping personally in the campaigns.

Sixty-Third Continental Congress

By JEAN BOUTWELL PAUL

National Chairman, Congress Program Committee

THE Sixty-third Continental Congress will open Monday evening, April nineteenth. The pageantry is breathtaking, with the entrance of the procession marching through the double lines of lovely white-clad pages, climaxed by the appearance of the President General as the great Flag of the United States of America is unfurled from the ceiling.

The theme selected by the President General is "The Spirit of America," and the keynote of the Congress will be given in her address on opening night.

The President of the United States and Mrs. Eisenhower have graciously accepted our invitation and will honor us by attending one of our meetings.

Authorities on pertinent subjects will present their views in important addresses; distinguished soloists and varied musical interludes have been scheduled for the enjoyment of the members. The Army, Navy, Marine and Air Force Bands will add splendor to the meetings.

The time devoted to fund raising during the past few years can again be utilized to exemplify the work of the National Committees, with supplementary speakers scheduled and special programs arranged in conjunction with reports. Awards will be presented to outstanding citizens, as determined by the Executive Committee of the National Society, upon recommendation of National Chairmen.

The Memorial Service will be on Easter Sunday, April 18, at half past two o'clock. Special Easter music will add to the solemn beauty of this service.

Tuesday afternoon the White House will be open to members of the Society from two until half past three o'clock. This plan for tours to permit the members to see the President's Mansion has been arranged to take the place of the White House Reception scheduled in the past on Friday afternoon. For these Tuesday tours, no tickets will be issued. Members will be admitted at the East Entrance upon showing a D. A. R. insignia pin or Congress badge. This is a tour, not a reception, and it is

emphasized that no one will be receiving the members, although all are cordially invited to participate in the tour.

A dinner for gentlemen only has been arranged for 7:00 o'clock Monday evening, in the Pan-American Room of the Mayflower Hotel. Reservations, accompanied by check for \$5.50 each, should be sent to Mr. Grahame Smallwood, 1026 17th St. N.W., Washington 6, D. C. (Informal Dress.)

The National Defense Meeting will be on Tuesday evening with distinguished speakers appearing on the program. On Wednesday evening the reports of the State Regents will be presented. An interesting program is being arranged for the Thursday evening meeting.

Another innovation this year will be the President General's Reception in Constitution Hall on Friday afternoon, April 23. From three until half past four o'clock the National Officers will be in the receiving line on the platform, with the State Regents receiving informally in their boxes. All members and their guests are invited to this reception.

The Continental Congress will close with the festive Annual Banquet on Friday evening at the Mayflower Hotel.

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

63rd Continental Congress

Friday, April 16—Executive Committee meeting.

Saturday, April 17—Meeting of National Board of Management, 9:30 A.M.

Sunday, April 18—Memorial Service, 2:30 P.M.

Monday, April 19—Conservation movies, National Board Room, 2 P.M. & 4 P.M.

Opening of 63rd Continental Congress, 8:30 P.M.

Tuesday, April 20—Reports of National Officers, 9:30 A.M.

Tour of the White House, 2 to 3:30 P.M.
Conservation Movies, National Board Room, 2 P.M. & 4 P.M.

National Defense Meeting, 8:30 P.M.
Pages' Dance, 10 P.M.—Mayflower Hotel.

Wednesday, April 21—Reports, 9:30 A.M. and 2 P.M.

Reports of State Regents, 7:30 P.M.
Nominations.

Thursday, April 22—Voting, 8 A.M. to 2:30 P.M.

Reports, 9:30 A.M. and 2 P.M.

Program and report of the Tellers, 8:30 P.M.

Friday, April 23—Installation of National Officers.

Adjournment of the Congress.

President General's Reception, 3 to 4:30 P.M.

Banquet, 7:30 P.M.—Mayflower Hotel.

Saturday, April 24—Meeting of National Board of Management, 9:30 A.M.

Special Meetings

NATIONAL COMMITTEES

AMERICAN INDIANS: Meeting, Tuesday, April 20, 2 p.m., Colorado Room.

AMERICAN RED CROSS: Meeting, Tuesday, April 20, 3 p.m., Assembly Room, American Red Cross Building, 17th & D Streets, N. W.

AMERICANISM: Meeting, Monday, April 19, 2:30 p.m., Georgia Room.

APPROVED SCHOOLS: Luncheon, Monday, April 19, Mayflower Hotel, Williamsburg Room, 1 p.m. Reservations: Mrs. Joseph B. Mauldin, 1734 Columbia Road, N. W. \$3.85.

CONSERVATION: Meeting, Monday, April 19, 10 a.m., Georgia Room. Movies, Monday & Tuesday, April 19 & 20, 2 and 4 p.m., National Board Room, 2nd floor, Memorial Continental Hall.

CREDENTIALS: Meeting, Friday, April 16, 1 p.m., O'Bryne Room.

D. A. R. GOOD CITIZENS: Meeting, Monday, April 19, 10 a.m., Indiana Room.

D. A. R. MAGAZINE: Meeting, Monday, April 19, 11 a.m., Georgia Room.

GENEALOGICAL RECORDS: Meeting, Monday, April 19, 10 a.m., National Board Room.

HONOR ROLL: Meeting, Monday, April 19, 10 a.m., Lafayette Room. Committee Office during Congress in Lafayette Room.

JUNIOR AMERICAN CITIZENS: Breakfast & meeting, Wednesday, April 21, 8 a.m., Congressional Room, Willard Hotel. Tickets: Constitution Hall corridor.

JUNIOR MEMBERSHIP: Meeting, Monday, April 19, 10 a.m., National Officers Club Room. Dinner, Sunday, April 18, 5 p.m., Mayflower Hotel, Williamsburg Room. Res.: Mrs. Donald Derby, 4700 Reservoir Road, Washington 7, D. C.

MEMBERSHIP: Meeting, Thursday, April 22, 8:15 a.m., National Board Room, Memorial Continental Hall, 2nd floor. Speakers will be Mrs.

Robert V. H. Duncan, Organizing Secretary, Mrs. Leonard D. Wallace, Registrar General.

MOTION PICTURE: Breakfast, Tuesday, April 20, 7:30 a.m., Mayflower Hotel, Jefferson Room. Reservations from National Vice Chairmen after January 1.

NATIONAL DEFENSE: Meeting, Monday, April 19, 2:30 p.m., National Officers Club Room.

PRESS RELATIONS: Meeting, Wednesday, April 21, 8:15 a.m., National Board Room, 2nd floor, Memorial Continental Hall.

PROGRAM: Meetings, Monday, April 19, 9 a.m., & 12 noon, Tuesday, April 20, 11 a.m., South Carolina Room; Breakfast: Tuesday, April 20, 7:30 a.m., Mayflower Hotel, Jefferson Room. Reservations: National Vice Chairmen after January 1.

ADVANCEMENT OF AMERICAN MUSIC: Joint breakfast meeting Tuesday, April 20, 7:30 a.m., Mayflower Hotel, Jefferson Room, with Radio & Television, Program, Motion Picture Committees.

RADIO & TELEVISION: Breakfast, Tuesday, April 20, 7:30 a.m., Mayflower Hotel, Jefferson Room. Reservations: National Vice Chairmen after January 1.

RESOLUTIONS: Meetings, Thursday through Saturday, April 15 through April 17, 9:30 a.m., Assembly Room. Monday through Friday, April 19 through April 23, 9:30 a.m., National Officers Club Board Room.

TRANSPORTATION: Meeting, Monday, April 19, 10 a.m., Colorado Room.

NATIONAL OFFICERS

CHAPLAIN GENERAL: Meeting, Sunday, April 18, 1:30 p.m., Platform, Constitution Hall.

HISTORIAN GENERAL: Meeting, Monday, April 19, Archives Room, 10 a.m.

LIBRARIAN GENERAL: Meeting, Monday, April 19, 9:30 a.m., Librarian's Office.

TREASURER GENERAL: Meeting, Wednesday, April 21, 8 a.m., Indiana Room.

CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEES

HOSPITALITY: Meetings, Saturday & Monday, April 17 & 19, 10:30 a.m., President General's Reception Room.

HOUSE: Meeting, Monday, April 19, 9 a.m., Constitution Hall.

MARSHALL: Meeting, Monday, April 19, 11:30 a.m., President General's Reception Room. Dinner Meeting, Sunday, April 18, 6 p.m., Shore-

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PAGES: Meeting, Monday, April 19, 1 p.m., Constitution Hall.

PLATFORM: Meeting, Monday, April 19, 11:30 a.m., Constitution Hall platform.

PRESIDENT GENERAL'S RECEPTION ROOM: Meeting, Monday, April 19, 3 p.m., President General's Reception Room.

TELLERS: Meeting, Monday, April 19, 11 a.m., Indiana Room.

REGISTRATION LINE: Meeting, Friday, April 16, 1 p.m., O'Byrne Room.

SPECIAL GROUPS

NATIONAL CHAIRMEN'S ASSOCIATION: Breakfast, Sunday, April 18, 8 a.m., Mayflower Hotel, East Room.

UNIT OVERSEAS: Luncheon, Tuesday, April 20, 12:30 p.m., Kennedy-Warren Hotel. Res.: Mrs. K. R. Boyce, 1500 Arlington Blvd., Arlington, Virginia, before Friday, April 16, 1954.

STATE MEETINGS

ALABAMA: Meeting, Monday, April 19, 10 a.m., Alabama Room. Dinner, Tuesday, April 20, 6 p.m., Mayflower Hotel, Pan American Room. Res.: Mrs. John T. Clarke, 3180 Thomas Avenue, Montgomery, Alabama, or meeting of Alabama Delegation, Alabama Room, April 19.

ARKANSAS: Breakfast, Wednesday, April 21, 7:30 a.m., Mayflower Hotel, North Room. Res.: Miss Ruth S. Massie, Box 388, Osceola, Arkansas, or State Regent.

CALIFORNIA: Meeting, Monday, April 19, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., California Room. Dinner, Sunday, April 18, 7 p.m., Mayflower Hotel, East Room.

COLORADO: Meeting, Monday, April 19, 4 p.m., Colorado Room. Buffet Supper, Sunday, April 18, immediately after Memorial Services, for all Colorado D. A. R., at Mrs. Elizabeth Cox, 4411 Fairfax Road, McLean Virginia. Meet at Founders Memorial after Memorial Services. Dinner, Tuesday, April 20, 6 p.m., Mayflower Hotel, North Room.

CONNECTICUT: Meeting, Friday, April 23, at close of a.m. session, National Board Room, 2nd floor, Memorial Continental Hall. Dinner, Tuesday, April 20, 6 p.m., Mayflower Hotel, East Room.

DELAWARE: Meeting, Tuesday, April 20, 1:30 p.m., Delaware Room.

FLORIDA: Luncheon, Tuesday, April 20, 1 p.m., Shoreham Hotel, Louis Seize Room. Res.: Mrs. Harold Machlen, c/o Veterans Hospital, Coral Gables, Florida, or Mrs. Edna C. Kline, 3801 Connecticut Avenue, Washington, D. C.

GEORGIA: Meeting, Tuesday, April 20, 2 p.m., Georgia Room. Dinner, Tuesday, April 20, 6 p.m., Mayflower Hotel, Chinese Room. Res.: Georgia Room, Monday, April 19.

ILLINOIS: Buffet Supper, Sunday, April 18, 7 p.m., Mayflower Hotel. Res.: Mrs. H. C. Warner, 321 E. Everett, Dixon, Illinois. \$4.50.

INDIANA: Reception, Monday, April 19, 3 to 5 p.m., Mayflower Hotel, East Room. Res.: Mrs.

Harry H. Wolf, 414 Riverside Avenue, Muncie, Indiana.

IOWA: Meeting, Monday, April 19, 9 a.m., Iowa Room. Luncheon, Tuesday, April 20, 12:45 p.m., Statler Hotel, Pan American Room. Res.: Mrs. Edwin G. Bowman, 1500 Massachusetts Avenue, N. W., Washington 5, D. C., or Iowa Room, Monday, April 19.

KANSAS: Luncheon, Tuesday, April 20, 12:30 p.m., Mayflower Hotel, North Room. Res.: Miss Maude Haver, State Vice Regent, Douglass, Kansas. Kansas Senators' & Representatives' wives to be guests.

KENTUCKY: Meeting, Monday, April 19, 10 a.m., Kentucky Room. Luncheon, Wednesday, April 21, 12:30 p.m., Mayflower Hotel, East Room. Res.: Mrs. Stephen T. Davis, Moundale Avenue, Winchester, Kentucky.

MAINE: Meeting, Monday, April 19, 11 a.m., Maine Room. Coffee, Tuesday, April 20, 1 to 3 p.m., Sheraton-Carlton Hotel, Carlton Room. Res.: Mrs. Eliot B. MacLean, 81 North Street, Saco, Maine.

MASSACHUSETTS: Luncheon, Monday, April 19, 12:30 p.m., Shoreham Hotel. Res.: Mrs. Malcolm Nicholas, 796 Centre Street, Jamaica Plain, Massachusetts.

MARYLAND: Luncheon, Tuesday, April 20, 1:30 p.m., Mayflower Hotel, Chinese Room. Res.: Mrs. Eliot Lovett, 6105 Kennedy Drive, Chevy Chase 15, Maryland.

MINNESOTA: Buffet Supper, Sunday, April 18, 7 p.m., Mayflower Hotel, Pan American Room. Res.: Miss Jennie Hiscock, 715 13th Avenue, S. E., Minneapolis 14, Minnesota.

MISSISSIPPI: Mississippi Plantation Party, benefit Kate Duncan Smith & Tamassee Schools, Monday, April 19, 2 to 6 p.m., Statler Hotel, Presidential Room. Res.: Mrs. L. E. Mayfield, 3200 16th Street, N. W., Washington 10, D. C. \$4.00.

CONGRESS BANQUET

Because of the increased membership and large number of members expected to attend Continental Congress this year, Mrs. E. Ernest Woollen, Banquet Chairman, has made arrangements for use of the East Room, in addition to the Ballroom, Chinese Room, balconies and promenade, for the banquet Friday night, April 23, at the Mayflower Hotel.

The East Room is just across the corridor from the Ballroom. All the rooms used will be opened en suite for the banquet. Amplifiers will be installed so that all music and talks may be distinctly heard. The President General and the banquet speaker will visit in the East Room during the course dinner.

Reservations for tickets for this room at \$7 each should be sent as soon as possible to Mrs. Woollen, Washington Apartments, Baltimore, Maryland.

NEBRASKA: Luncheon, Tuesday, April 20, 12:30 p.m., Mayflower Hotel, Room 260. Res.: Mrs. Joseph Strain, Hebron, Nebraska.

NEW HAMPSHIRE: Luncheon, Tuesday, April 20, 1 p.m., Washington Hotel, Parlor D.

NEW JERSEY: Luncheon, Tuesday, April 20, 12:30 p.m., Shoreham Hotel. Res.: Mrs. Rudolph L. Novak, 11 Park Street, Bloomfield, N. J.

NEW YORK: Luncheon meeting, Tuesday, April 20, 12:30 p.m., Mayflower Hotel, Ballroom. Res.: Mrs. John W. Finger, 960 Park Avenue, New York, N. Y., between March 1 and April 1. \$5.00 each. Include self-addressed envelope.

NORTH CAROLINA: Meeting, Tuesday, April 20, 2 p.m., North Carolina Room. Tea, Wednesday, April 21, 4 to 6, Mayflower Hotel, Williamsburg Room. Res.: State Treasurer. \$3.50.

NORTHWESTERN STATES: Luncheon, Monday, April 19, 12:30 p.m., Congressional Hotel, Presidential Room. Res.: Mrs. Louis J. O'Marr, 2100 Massachusetts Avenue, N. W., Washington, D. C., or State Regents.

OHIO: Meeting, Monday and every day during Congress. High Tea, Monday, April 19, 4 to 5 p.m., Mayflower Hotel, Ballroom. Res.: Mrs. Edwin M. Fuller, 185 North Chestnut Street, Kent, Ohio. \$4.00.

OKLAHOMA: Meeting, Oklahoma Kitchen, Monday, April 19, 1 p.m. Luncheon, Wednesday, April 21, 12 noon, Mayflower Hotel, Pan American Room. Tickets at door.

PENNSYLVANIA: Luncheon, Tuesday, April 20, 1 p.m., Shoreham Hotel, Blue Room. \$4.00. Res.: After March 10 from Mrs. F. A. Jimerson, S. Main Street, Athens, Pennsylvania, by sending check and self-addressed envelope or Pennsylvania Foyer, Memorial Continental Hall, Monday, April 19, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

RHODE ISLAND: Meeting, Monday, April 19, 10 a.m., Rhode Island Room. Dinner, Tuesday, April 20, 5:45 p.m., Washington Hotel, Parlor D, Mezzanine. Res.: Rhode Island meeting, Monday, April 19, 10 a.m.

SOUTH CAROLINA: Luncheon, Tuesday April 20, 1 p.m., Mayflower Hotel, East Room. Res.: Miss Lola Wilson, Tamassee, South Carolina, \$4.00.

TENNESSEE: High Tea, Tuesday, April 20, 5 p.m., Mayflower Hotel, Williamsburg Room.

TEXAS: Meeting, Monday, April 19, 11 a.m., Mayflower Hotel, Room 260. Tea, Monday, April 19, 4 to 6 p.m., Mayflower Hotel, Chinese Room. Res.: Mrs. Felix Irwin, Box 62A, Route 1, Corpus Christi, Texas.

VERMONT: Luncheon, Monday, April 19, Willard Hotel.

VIRGINIA: Reception meeting, Monday, April 19, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Virginia Room. Luncheon, Tuesday, April 20, 12:30 p.m., Willard Hotel, Crystal Room. Res.: Virginia Room, Monday, April 19, between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m.

WASHINGTON: Luncheon, Tuesday, April 20, 1 p.m., Kennedy-Warren Hotel, North Lounge. Res.: Mrs. William Sherman Walker, Kennedy-Warren.

WEST VIRGINIA: Luncheon, Tuesday, April 20, 1 p.m., Washington Hotel, Washington Room. Res.: Monday morning, 9 to 11, in West Virginia Box. \$3.00.

WISCONSIN: Meeting, Monday, April 19, 9

a.m., Wisconsin Room. Tea, Monday, April 19, Mayflower Hotel, Williamsburg Room, 5 to 7 p.m. Res.: Mrs. Austin Hayward or State Regent.

WYOMING: Luncheon, Northwestern States Group, Monday, April 19, 12:30 p.m., Congressional Hotel, Presidential Room. Res.: Mrs. Louis J. O'Marr, 2100 Massachusetts Avenue, N. W., Washington, D. C., or State Regent.

1954 C. A. R. CONVENTION

Thursday, April 22, 1954, National Board Meeting, 9:30 a.m.—National Officers Club Room, North Wing, Constitution Hall.

Friday, April 23, 1954, State Presidents Forum, 2:30 p.m.—Mayflower Hotel.

ANNUAL CONVENTION, April 23-25—Mayflower Hotel.

EMBASSY TOUR

Of interest to many Daughters of the American Revolution attending Continental Congress is the news that the annual Embassy Tour and Tea will be held Saturday, April 24, by the Goodwill Guild of the Davis Memorial Goodwill Industries, for the benefit of the rehabilitation program for the physically handicapped. The date was chosen particularly for the D. A. R., as those in charge felt that it would offer a unique opportunity for visiting members to view six attractive embassies here between 2 and 5:30, with tea from 4 to 6 p.m. A program booklet will be given with each ticket. Tickets, \$3 each; students, \$2; including tea.

Heirloom Exhibit

An exhibit of 17th, 18th and 19th Century heirlooms, "Primarily American," will be on public display from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. each day from Wednesday, April 7, through Wednesday, April 14, at the Textile Museum, 2320 "S" Street, N. W., Washington, D. C. D. A. R. members are especially invited to attend.

The admission will be \$1, for the benefit of Stratford Hall, Va., historic Lee home, built between 1725 and 1730.

This exhibit is being assembled by the District of Columbia Committee of the Robert E. Lee Memorial Foundation, of which Mrs. George Morris, of Washington, is Committee Chairman. The exhibition chairman is Mrs. Katherine McCook Knox, of Washington, one of the Art Critics for the D. A. R. Museum.

Housing Information

Members wishing to attend Continental Congress and not being able to obtain hotel reservations should contact Miss Mildred C. Sherman, Chairman of the Congress Housing Information Committee, 1319 Gallatin St., Washington 11, D. C. Reservations must be made by members directly with the hotels, but Miss Sherman's Committee can send information as to where rooms are available.

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National Defense

By MARGUERITE C. (Mrs. JAMES B.) PATTON
National Chairman

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NATIONAL DEFENSE COMMITTEE

COMMUNISM AND SOCIALISM VERSUS AMERICANISM

WHAT is the difference between COMMUNISM and SOCIALISM today? Their final objectives of absolute control by a central government are identical. The means used to achieve this goal are different. The Communists favor revolution. The Socialists prefer evolution. However, both groups believe that the end justifies any means. It has been said that "Socialism is a slow train to Communism."

Karl Marx formulated the doctrine and creed of Socialism in 1848, although the idea has existed practically since the beginning of time. Communism, as we know it today, is the interpretation of the Marxian Doctrine as defined by Lenin when he came to power in Russia after the revolution in 1917. So we find Communism, Socialism, nationalization of industry or whatever you want to call it, mean in the end the same—absolute control by a central government.

We know that both Socialists and Communists have been working in this country for many years. Socialists have been dissatisfied with their progress in the United States. Their leaders decided that Socialism had failed in this country because American workers would not accept the idea of a revolution. They had no caste system. They did not have the inferiority complex of the European workers. There was no hunger.

So they decided that the only way that Socialism could get anywhere in the United States was to forget the idea of a revolution and start on a plan to put Socialism over just a little at a time. These statements were not kept secret—they were made publicly. The details were published in the "New Leader," a Socialist newspaper, issues of March 5 and 12, 1927.

William Z. Foster, in 1930, publicly admitted that Communists could not take over the United States by force. Many supported the movement to do it by infiltration. This has been done in every phase of our American life.

Now, we all realize that there is a small but hard-disciplined fifth column in our country. Those subversives whom we have in our midst we know are linked closely with the Soviet Union. The espionage revelations, the significant testimony of former Communists and the many careful studies of the Party Line have shown this control to be absolute.

The Internal Security Act of 1950 describes with considerable detail the character of the world Communist movement, its control by foreign agents, its purposes, and the Communist fronts. The laws dealing with treason, sedition, etc., have been amended and improved so that they now provide fines and imprisonment for one who advocates the overthrow or destruction of the Government of the United States, or of any State or local government, or who engages in activities to bring this about.

It thus has been made clear that Communism is not an ideology at all; rather it is a criminal and treasonous conspiracy directed from a foreign country and is aimed at the destruction of our Constitutional Government.

We are grateful that there is a widespread reaction against Communism at the present time, but that should be no excuse for complacency or inaction.

Protection against Communism in the community means an awareness of the possible sources of infiltration. There are many Communist sympathizers in the lecture circuits today. Some librarians favor pro-Communist literature. Some schools

and universities have Red sympathizers on their staffs.

We should not rest until Communism is wiped out in America. It cannot develop deep roots in our country unless, by default, WE permit it to do so.

The foundation of our country is a fundamental belief in God. Our constitutional form of government is designed to serve the people. Our political freedoms are detailed within the Bill of Rights and are: The right to worship God in our own way. The right to free speech and to write what we wish in a free press. The right to assemble. The right to petition grievances. The right to complete privacy in our own homes. The right of habeas corpus. The right of trial by jury, wherein we are deemed innocent until proved guilty. The right to move about freely at home and abroad.

Our economic freedoms are: The right to own property. The right to work where we choose. The right to bargain with employers. The right to go into business and to compete with others and make a profit or loss, depending on our management ability. The right to bargain for goods and services in a free market. The right to contract about our affairs.

These are the principles and rights that are fundamental to our American Way of Life—they ARE the American Way of Life. Together they give you freedom. Where else in the world can you get such a combination?

The United States has only six per cent of the world's land. We have only seven per cent of the world's population, yet we have 85 per cent of the automobiles and we produce 34 per cent of the world's meat. We have 50 per cent of the hospital beds and 92 per cent of the world's bath tubs. Our country has 52 per cent of high school enrollment and 48 per cent of the radio sets. We have created 45 per cent of the world's TOTAL WEALTH.

In the United States we have 140 doctors per 100,000 population. This compares with 114 in England, 103 in New Zealand, and 75 in France.

Is there any question of the superiority of the American Way of Life?

Our forefathers sought these shores for religious, political and economic freedom. They built a way of life—our American Way of Life—that included a guarantee of

these freedoms for their posterity. It is OUR duty to PRESERVE and PROTECT these freedoms for our children and our children's children.

Throughout our country's history the freedom of the individual has been cherished. Patrick Henry said, "I know not what course others may take but as for me, give me liberty or give me death."

THE SECURITY OF OUR NATION IS OUR BUSINESS.

CONGRATULATIONS NEW YORK STATE

Communist membership automatically bars a person from working in the New York public schools, the State Board of Regents ruled. The board unanimously branded the Communist Party subversive, and under State law a member of any such organization cannot get a job in the public school system. It was the first "trial" of the party itself; previous trials of Communists have involved individuals.

Marguerite C. Patton

OLD FASHIONED PRINCIPLES

Dr. Hugh G. Grant, former State Department official and United States Minister in Asian and European countries, told the Caloosahatchee Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution (Ft. Myers, Florida), that the United States should return to the fundamental principles of old fashioned Americanism as sponsored by the Daughters "... if we are to avoid possible bankruptcy through an expensive global superintentionalism program."

"We have spread ourselves out too thin around the world, a program that is not necessary for the defense and security of America," Dr. Grant declared. He adds, "We should abandon the false doctrine that we are the guardians of the entire non-Communist world; we should deflate some of our grandiose ideas of world leadership; we should either abandon the United Nations or else agree that it is only an advisory body for free discussions of world problems; we should retain the right to formulate our own foreign policies in consultation and negotiations with individual nations in the event of controversy; and, finally, we should get off the track of superinternationalism and get back on the American track."

Dr. Grant further stated that the former concept of the defense and security of America, namely, freedom from enemy attack on our continental areas, our overseas possessions and, under the Monroe Doctrine, the Western Hemisphere; freedom of the seas for our ships, protection of the lives and property of American citizens abroad; and economic security for the nation, has been abandoned and we are embarked on a world-wide give-away program that will spell disaster.

"We have taken over the responsibility for some 573 million people occupying 19 million square miles of territory. We are pledged to defend, in case of aggression, 60 countries on six continents. In short, we have become the Santa Claus for about half the world, picking up the big checks here, there and everywhere for all sorts of projects—military, economic and social. It is positively fantastic, and meanwhile our staggering national debt of \$273 billion is increasing, with new deficits; we are burdened with the highest federal taxes in all our history and the American dollar's purchasing power hits the lowest level on record. Both major political parties are responsible."

AMERICAN POLICEMEN

Today American sons and husbands are being drafted to serve in more countries on the face of the earth than during World War II. We have been warned that fathers face draft because there are no more unmarried men available for the draft. Thus, while we are *told* by the internationalists that we must give security to the rest of the world, we are being forced to undermine the security of our own young people. High school and college men cannot plan for the future because tomorrow they may be drafted to fight in a foreign country—"police action," a war that is not even declared.

Horrible atrocities were committed in Korea on at least 8,000 Americans, yet the United Nations held the report of General Ridgeway secret for over five months and did not blockade the sources of supply, which is legal against an aggressor under the United Nations Charter. No wonder many of our young people are becoming delinquents or completely dis-

couraged and uninterested in education or training for a future position.

NATIONAL DEBT

Unemployment is increasing. Rumblings are being heard that "the Government" should take care of the security of the unemployed. The "Government" does take care of the security of the unemployed in the Soviet Union. People are told where to work, how long to work and what their pay will be. *Security is, in fact, the privilege of working where one pleases, at the profession or task one chooses, and the right to save one's money for emergencies, luxuries, travel, education or whatsoever the earner chooses. Money is earned property.* According to the Constitution, private property cannot be seized by the Government, but *with the adoption of the Sixteenth Amendment to the Constitution the Federal Government can now seize up to 91% of your income, and if you do not allow them to do so you are sent to prison.* Originally, under the Constitution, the Federal Government could NOT directly tax the people because the statesmen who wrote that document realized that just such a situation would develop.

With unemployment growing we shall now be taxed to pay those who have not saved for an emergency. Our money, our earned property, will be taken for the same type of socialistic plans that are carried out in Russia, and plans are under way to increase Old Age Pensions and Social Security. Soon we shall all be leveled off to one mass of collective people just as in the Soviet Union. And, of course, since this money must be sent through the federal bureaus, large staffs are necessary to write the checks and keep the records—so more taxes are necessary.

Why not keep this money in the community, thus cutting the cost of federal employees and in turn reducing our taxes? Some Governors have said they cannot raise enough money to pay for State expenses because the Federal Government is taxing to the utmost every source which was formerly available to improve roads, school buildings, teachers' pay, hospital construction, et cetera. But, of course, some of the sophisticated internationalists who have been handing out our taxes to foreign countries aren't interested in such

archaic projects as the improvement of conditions for American children and adults. What are you going to do about it? As Edmund Burke said, "All that is necessary for evil to conquer is that good men do nothing."

EDMUND BURKE ALSO SAID

He that wrestles with us strengthens our nerves and sharpens our skill. Our antagonist is our helper.

And having looked to Government for bread, on the very first scarcity they will turn and bite the hand that fed them.

The people never give up their liberties except under some delusion.

The writers against religion, whilst they oppose every system, are wisely careful never to set up any of their own.

The concessions of the weak are the concessions of fear.

There never was a bad man that had the ability for good service.

But the age of chivaryl is gone; that of sophisters, economists, and calculators has succeeded.

JONATHAN YANK—CRACKER BARREL

From Eagle Rock, California: "... An outfit is planning to revise the United Nations Charter in 1955. Here's how you will be governed if their plan goes over: 1) The capital of the world probably will be in Asia (because of its large population). 2) The world will be governed by eight zone directors and 51 regional directors. These men will be the reigning bureaucracy. NO MAN WILL REIGN IN HIS OWN COUNTRY. America will be governed by a Chinese, a Russian or an Indian. BUT NEVER BY AN AMERICAN. That would be against the law of the new world government. His decrees would be endorsed by an occupying army, ALSO OF FOREIGN ORIGIN. World government law stipulates that also. ..."

EDUCATION

It is unfortunate that some superintendents and some school board members are attempting to gag parents, teachers and other board members who are seeking the reasons for the decline in student

learning. Businessmen are saying they cannot hire reliable help. Many young people seem unable to add a sales slip correctly. Some supposedly trained as secretaries can't spell, don't know the States of the Union and their capitals, can't locate rivers or mountains, nor do they know correct English.

Having visited several States and talked with fine sincere teachers, may we make a few observations.

The child interested in learning is harassed by the noise and disorder prevalent in the rooms where progressive education is allowing the "child to direct his own activity" without restriction or thought of others. Permitting a child to dash about the room and talk to other children endeavoring to study is certainly not proper training for future responsibilities and self-restraint. No wonder children break the law and become delinquent when they are not taught rules in the school room.

Teachers are overburdened with extra-curricular activities which disrupt teaching the fundamentals.

American teachers are underpaid while we are forced to hand out millions to foreign countries to "improve conditions" and promote "internationalism."

The present tendency to insist that the teacher pry into the minds of the children about home conditions by such tests as the "Wishing Well" (available at National Defense Committee) causes nervous reaction among the children. They are in school to *learn*, not to be psychoanalyzed by tests. Certainly teachers would not be asked to give medication to children, so isn't meddling with mind much more dangerous.

The idea that "experts" (this is promoted by UNESCO—United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization) should decide what is best for youth and that parents should not interfere is more than unique in the United States; it is thought control of our children by a self-appointed "educational aristocracy," most of whom are world government internationalists.

UNESCO

Mr. R. J. C. Dorsey, eminent constitutional attorney, reports: "UNESCO sends

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State Activities

FLORIDA

FLORIDA DISTRICT MEETINGS have proven worthwhile in giving Florida Daughters the opportunity to hear personally from the State Officers and State Committee Chairmen of work plans of the National Society for the year ahead. The enthusiasm and interest engendered by such personal meetings is a genuine help in getting work accomplished.

Some six hundred Daughters, representing Florida's 58 Chapters, were in attendance at the seven October meetings, which were held in the following cities with the named hostess Chapters:

District One—Jacksonville, Fort San Nicholas

District Two—Pensacola, Pensacola

District Three—Gainesville, Gainesville

District Four—Orlando, Orlando

District Five—Miami, Regent's Council of Greater Miami

District Six—Lake Wales, Lake Wales

District Seven—Tampa, De Sota

The election of officers for a two-year term, beginning in April 1954, was held at each of the district meetings.

Mrs. Austin Williamson, State Regent, honored the State Officers and Chairmen at a delightful reception in her home the evening preceding the meeting in Jacksonville.

Beautifully appointed luncheons, arranged by the hostess Chapters, were served at the conclusion of the business sessions and excellent addresses on "National Defense" were heard at five of them. Speakers were: Dr. Freeman Hart, Asst. Prof. of Humanities, University of Florida; Rep. Charles Bennett of Jacksonville; Col. Jack Younger, President of the Crime Commission of Greater Miami, and Mrs. J. C. Bruington, D. A. R. State Chairwoman of National Defense.

Distinguished guests at the meetings included: one D. A. R. National officer; eight Honorary State Regents; and the C. A. R. State President, Mrs. George E. Evans, who reported 21 Societies in Florida and asked that Chapters form additional Societies.

Our State Regent, Mrs. Williamson, reported on the October National Board of Management Meeting in Washington. She urged the D. A. R. to give blood donations to the Red Cross; reiterated the slogan, "D. A. R. dollars for D. A. R. doings"; suggested that Florida Chapters concentrate their conservation work to fire prevention and reforestation, and urged each Daughter to work to increase membership. She reported three new Florida Chapters organized, and two in formation.

Mrs. Harold F. Machlan, second Vice Regent, discussed the work of the Transportation Committee. Mrs. Edna Kline, State Vice Regent, was not able to attend, due to her mother's illness.

Mrs. George E. Evans, Chaplain, asked that Chapters use the Ritual and open meetings with scripture, and stressed the proper reporting of deceased members to her.

Mrs. E. E. Adams, Recording Secretary, stressed the duties of a Chapter Secretary and Chapter minutes, "telling what was done, not what was said."

Mrs. Charles O'Neill, Corresponding Secretary, called attention to the state by-laws relative to submitting a list of Chapter Officers, and asked that Regent's reports be sent to her before May 1st.

Mrs. R. O. Angle, Treasurer, stressed several important items in the work of Chapter Treasurers.

Miss Pearl Walker, Registrar, gave instructions on keeping records.

Mrs. Ralph H. Sefton, Historian, announced her new project was stressing the importance of teaching history in the fifth, sixth, seventh, and eighth grades, and asked members to review American history textbooks used in these grades and to "rededicate themselves to the principles of the Founders of America."

Mrs. J. E. Stewart, Librarian, asked for contributions of money and books, and announced that she had compiled a catalogue of genealogical and historical works in the state library, a copy of which she had presented to the State Society and to Chapter Regents.

Mrs. Gilbert Broking, Parliamentarian, suggested that parliamentary classes be

held for Chapter Officers and members.

Chapter Regents presented their plans for the year.

Excellent instructions were given by State Chairmen. Mrs. Fisher called attention to planned termination of supervision and support of government aid to Indians and asked that we advise our Senators and Congressmen that the Indians wish a 25-year wait, as they are not prepared to take over their own affairs at present. She announced that the first Florida Seminole, Joseph W. Jumper, is now in college under a scholarship. Highlights in other reports included: Mrs. Hamilton's instructions that the American Flag be placed at the right of the speaker at D. A. R. meetings; Mrs. Early's request that members subscribe to "Motion Picture Guide" and place it in libraries; Mrs. Mean's reminder, "give to Approved Schools, give in unselfish devotion to our youth and teach them what it means to be Americans." She reported \$857.25 received towards our state project, the Tamassee Amphitheatre.

Mrs. Ralph H. Sefton

State Historian

MASSACHUSETTS

THE Annual October State meeting of the Massachusetts Daughters of the American Revolution convened at the New Ocean House, Swampscott, Thursday morning, October 8, 1953, with a total registration of 437. After the usual preliminaries, the State Regent, Mrs. James J. Hepburn, extended a cordial welcome and set the pattern for her three years' administration. Mrs. Hepburn stated in part: "... We must strive for increased membership and cooperate with the newly formed National Committees—Honor Roll and Advertising. . . . I am here to serve you to the very best of my ability, today, tomorrow and during the entire term of my office."

The Hostess Chapters were Commodore Samuel Tucker, Marblehead, and Submit Clark, Easthampton.

The formal program was presented by Miss Gertrude MacPeck, Program Chairman. Special morning features were informative talks by Mrs. F. Allen Burt, National Chairman of Motion Pictures,

and Mrs. Ashmead White, National Chairman of Americanism, whose subject was "Citizenship Training."

The newly elected State Officers gave outlines of their work for the coming year. The Vice Regent, Mrs. Alfred Graham, graciously accepted a Vice Regent's pin, presented by the State Regent; Mrs. Thomas McConnell, State Chaplain, supplied religious brochures entitled "Our Four Great Faiths"; Mrs. George C. Proctor, the efficient State Recording Secretary; Mrs. J. Archie Cunningham, State Organizing Secretary, told of procedure in organizing Chapters; Mrs. Harold Hemenway, State Treasurer; Miss Helen Bancroft, Assistant State Treasurer, reported on the Student Loan Fund; Mrs. Melville H. Rood, State Registrar, concluded her remarks with this recipe:

"Let every Daughter:

Take 2 lbs. Self-Control, 1½ lbs. Justice; 1 lb. Consideration; 5 lbs. Patience; 1 lb. Discipline; sweeten with Charity; simmer well; keep handy; take daily doses (hourly if needed), to keep the wheel of the D. A. R. distaff running smoothly."

Mrs. George C. Houser, State Historian, listed three new projects: revival of American History in grammar schools; the prizes she is awarding for the largest number of hitherto unreported grave locations; and the assembling of a card catalogue of all Massachusetts Patriots whose grave locations have been published in the Senate Reports, in order to have the information readily available in the State.

Mrs. Edwin R. Sparrow, State Librarian, requested vital records of Massachusetts prior to 1850; Mrs. J. Franklin Hodge, State Curator, mentioned receiving cards bearing a picture of the White House and autographed by President and Mrs. Benjamin Harrison.

The principal address of the afternoon was given by Rev. Lyman V. Rutledge on the subject, "Some American Traditions Worth Preserving." His inspirational remarks were highlighted by the following: "Today's frightful global struggle is between two philosophies—anti-God concept of life vs. the God-given rights of man, as contained in the Bible, Declaration of Independence, and Constitution. It is a conflict to destroy our five freedoms. To eradicate

communistic propaganda we must show our strength of faith in God, in ourselves and in our fellowmen. As it is expressed in spiritual affirmation of our Founding Fathers—"In God we Trust."

Dr. Gus Turbeville, President of Northland College, Wisconsin, told of the need of investing in the brain development of young people.

The Thursday evening banquet, attended by 469 members and guests, was highly successful, due to the capable efforts of Mrs. Malcolm E. Nichols, State Hospitality Chairman, and her committee.

Mrs. George C. Houser, State Historian, acted as Toastmistress and presented a series of thirty-one "word portraits" which were biographical in character. Each honored guest at the head-table was included in this portfolio of prominent personalities. These were set forth in words which expressed appreciation of their charming characteristics, generous efforts and fine achievements in behalf of the D. A. R. Mrs. Houser, when presenting the State Regent, spoke of her exceptional leadership and dignity and crowned her with a wreath of red, white and blue flowers, giving the Massachusetts Daughters their first Queen—"Queen Bess."

An entertaining talk on "Vermont Humor" by Allen R. Foley, Professor of History at Dartmouth College, and vocal selections by the noted baritone, Franklin G. Field, completed a most outstanding evening.

On Friday morning, October 9, the State Regent asked the State Chairmen to continue with their brief reports. She referred to them as conscientious women, who will work diligently to carry out the D. A. R. objectives. The most humorous report was given by Miss Josephine Richardson, Information Chairman, explaining the meaning of "Egg Rock," which is situated in the ocean off the Swampscott shore.

Mrs. Russell William Magna, Honorary President General, admirably summed up the real keynote of the meeting in one word, "Faith." She emphasized the atmosphere of good fellowship which permeated the entire gathering. She stressed the growing dignity of women and their loyalty to the great D. A. R. organization.

The State Regent, Mrs. James J. Hepburn, after sincerely expressing gratitude

to all, adjourned the State Fall meeting and wished every one "a God-speed" on their journey home.

Mary R. Houser
State Historian

WEST VIRGINIA

MRS. WILLIAM W. McCLAUGHERTY, State Regent, formally opened the Forty-Eighth West Virginia State Conference at 8:30 p.m. on October 29, 1953, in Charleston, West Virginia. The Western District Chapters were hostesses with Mrs. J. Marion Bailey, District Director, serving as General Chairman.



Miss Gertrude S. Carraway, President General, received a nosegay of earrings from Miss Virginia Johnson at the first Junior luncheon. Mrs. William W. McLaugherty, State Regent, looks on.

The guests included Miss Gertrude S. Carraway, President General; Mrs. James B. Patton, Honorary President General; Mrs. Harry J. Smith and Mrs. Patrick H. Odom, Vice Presidents General; Honorary State Regents: Mrs. Paul O. Reyman, Mrs. Millard T. Sisler, Mrs. A. Keith McClung who is also National Program Chairman; National Chairmen: Mrs. Edwin H. Lotz, Radio and Television; Mrs. Thomas Burchett, Membership; Mrs. Charles Carroll Haig, National President, Children of the American Revolution.

In the afternoon, Mrs. G. H. Neale, State Chaplain, conducted a beautiful Memorial Service for the recently deceased Daughters.

The State Officers Club met for dinner and elected Mrs. Edgar Williams, President for the coming year. A buffet supper was held at the same hour for all those not attending the Officers Club dinner. This

was one of the many enthusiastically received Conference innovations.

After the traditional processional, the Conference was formally called to order by Mrs. William McClaugherty. The invocation was asked by Dr. John W. Hollister. The Pledge to the Flag was led by Mrs. Harry J. Smith, the American's Creed by Mrs. Millard Sisler and the National Anthem by Mrs. Ernest Bartels.

Addresses of welcome were made by the Honorable John T. Copenhaver, Mayor of Charleston; Mr. A. B. C. Bray, President, West Virginia S. A. R.; and Mrs. J. Marion Bailey. Mrs. Edward Phillips, State Vice Regent, responded. Miss Gertrude Carraway, President General, brought greetings from the National Society.

Mrs. Ira Mason Smith, State Chairman of National Defense, introduced Mrs. James B. Patton, who spoke on "The Challenge." Her address was one that made each of us consider carefully the Conference Theme—"WHAT OF TOMORROW?"

The State Regent presented the many distinguished guests, State Officers, and heads of other Patriotic Societies, including Miss Helen Walker, Junior State Vice President, C. A. R. The Hostess Chapters entertained with a reception following the opening session.



The first bazaar held at a West Virginia State Conference is the center of interest for these D. A. R. officials. Shown, left to right, are Mrs. Patrick H. Odom, Vice President General; Mrs. Charles Carroll Haig, National President C. A. R.; Mrs. A. Keith McClung, National Program Chairman and Honorary State Regent; Mrs. Edwin Lotz, National Chairman of Radio and Television.

A District Directors Breakfast was held Friday morning. Mrs. Holly Simmons presided.

The morning session opened with the usual ceremonies. Mrs. McClaugherty presided. Our State Regent gave a splendid report of the accomplishments during the seven months of her Regency and gave each of us fresh inspiration for the twenty-nine months we will go forward under her dedicated leadership. Following the reports of the other State Officers, Mrs. Haig, National President, made an address on "Our C. A. R."

The entire Conference was saddened by the death of Mrs. A. Bruce Eagle, Advisor to the National Museum Committee and a West Virginia Daughter beloved by all who knew her. A heartfelt tribute was paid Mrs. Eagle by Mrs. McClaugherty when she made the announcement.

Each State Chairman had the opportunity to discuss her work, during the Chairman's Luncheon, with those especially interested. During the afternoon the Conference heard Chairman's reports, many of which took the form of plans for the coming year.

The banquet honored Miss Carraway and the Chapter Regents. Music was provided by the Charleston Light Opera Guild.

The highlight of the evening was the address by Miss Carraway, "The D. A. R. as a Constructive Force for Americanism." She summed up her recommendations with the statement, "We should pursue, practice, preach, and pray."

Mr. Keith McClung, Jr., Junior State President, C. A. R., brought greetings. The Chapter Regents presented their reports with enthusiasm. Often the activities were so many and so interesting to tell about that time had to be called!

Saturday morning the Founders Club and the Regents Club met for a joint breakfast. The *Regent Roster*, compiled by Mrs. V. Eugene Holcombe, Regents Club President, was presented.

The Saturday morning session, presided over by the State Regent, was devoted to business. With the singing of "Blest Be the Tie That Binds," the Forty-Eighth State Conference was officially adjourned.

Following the adjournment two luncheons were held. The W. Va. C. A. R. honored their National President, Mrs.

Haig. Mrs. Charles Walker, State President, arranged the luncheon.

The first Junior Membership Luncheon was held. This was open to all interested Daughters. Miss Carraway and Mrs. Patton brought greetings. Mrs. Frederick A. Woods, Bazaar Chairman, reported that the goal of a \$200 scholarship for Tamassee had been achieved. With great enthusiasm this was given in honor of our beloved State Regent, Mrs. McLaugherty, in appreciation of "her support, her enthusiasm, and her faith." Mrs. McLaugherty made the address — "The Golden Keys."

Thus the Forty-Eighth State Conference of the D. A. R. in West Virginia ended—looking to tomorrow—the tomorrow of our country, the tomorrow for our society. We went home with the Conference Theme and the inspiration to make something of it in our communities and our chapters—"WHAT OF TOMORROW?"

Virginia B. Johnson
Conference Publicity Chairman

PENNSYLVANIA

THE 57th Annual Conference of the Pennsylvania State Society Daughters of the American Revolution, was held October 5th, 6th, and 7th, at the William Penn Hotel, Pittsburgh, Penna. Hostess Chapters were those of the Western District. The theme of the Conference was "Think American."

The opening session, held in the Ballroom of the Hotel, was preceded by a Piano Recital by Mrs. Thomas K. Greer. Assembly Call was sounded by Mr. John Cochrane Daub, Trumpeter for the Conference; followed by the Processional, whereupon the State Regent, National and State Officers, Distinguished Guests, Hostess Chapter Regents, escorted by Pages with Official Flags and Banners entered the Ballroom.

Mrs. Herbert Patterson, State Regent, called the session to order. The Invocation was given by Mrs. Isaac High Shelly, State Chaplain; followed by the Pledge of Allegiance, the American's Creed, and the National Anthem. Welcome to the City was extended by the Hon. David Lawrence, Mayor of the City of Pittsburgh,

with response by Mrs. Henry H. Rhodes, State Vice Regent.

Greetings from the Sons of the American Revolution were extended by Dr. Harry R. Decker, Second Vice President of the Pennsylvania State Society Sons of the American Revolution; Mr. James L. Taylor, State Board of Management of the Pennsylvania State Society, Sons of the American Revolution, and Mr. David M. Rial, President, Lafayette Chapter, Sons of the American Revolution. Mrs. George Clinton Custer, State President, Pennsylvania Children of the American Revolution, extended greetings and then presented Mrs. Charles Carrol Haig, National President, Children of the American Revolution, who spoke on the organization of the Children of the American Revolution and the opportunities of furthering Americanism through this Society.

The State Regent then introduced the following distinguished guests: Mrs. James B. Patton, Honorary President General and National Chairman of National Defense; Mrs. Thomas Henry Lee, Recording Secretary General; Mrs. Harlow B. Kirkpatrick, Honorary State Regent and Vice President General from Pennsylvania; Mrs. William Lewis Ainsworth, Vice President General from Kansas; Mrs. Joseph G. Forney, Honorary State Regent and Past Vice President General from Pennsylvania; Mrs. Benjamin R. Williams, Honorary State Regent and Past Vice President General from Pennsylvania; Mrs. Marshall H. Bixler, State Regent of Ohio; Mrs. William W. McLaugherty, State Regent of West Virginia; Mrs. James F. Donahue, Honorary State Regent and Past Vice President General from Ohio.

Two delightful groups of songs were presented during the evening by Mr. Robert Anderson, Baritone, accompanied by Miss Rickie Rehrick.

Mrs. Patterson, State Regent, presented Miss Gertrude S. Carraway, President General, National Society Daughters of the American Revolution, who gave a most inspiring and thought-provoking address on "The Daughters of the American Revolution as a Constructive Force in Americanism."

Following the Retiring of the Colors, a Reception was given in the Urban Room.

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Book Reviews

A STRAND OF PEARLS FROM OLD JAPAN. By Bernice B. Wyman. The Christopher Publishing House, Boston, Mass. \$2.25.

Bernice B. (Mrs. A. Percival) Wyman, of the Silence Howard Hayden Chapter of Waterville, Me., is the author of *A Strand of Pearls from Old Japan*.

This consists of twenty sketches of life in Japan as seen through her eyes during her seven years spent there as a teacher. These glimpses of Japanese life of a generation ago include such first hand descriptions of the Great Earthquake of 1923, the Top of Fujiyama, the Imperial Family, an Imperial Garden Party, a Japanese Wedding, and the Land of the Cherry Blossoms.

To quote Mrs. Wyman, "The world I lived in during those years was an altogether different one from the G.I. world of refrigeration, dancing and American beefsteaks. I want others to know how Japan lived, worked and played before any thought of war had come to spoil that beautiful country." A book both enchanting and educational.

QUEEN'S GIFT. By Inglis Fletcher. Bobs-Merrill Company, Indianapolis, Indiana. \$3.75.

Jessie Fant Evans, a member of the Captain Molly Pitcher Chapter of the District of Columbia, comments on a recent novel *Queen's Gift* by Inglis Fletcher as being the seventh historical novel in her famous Carolina series.

"Personal and political dramas alike are played out against a background rich in detail—her characters tie in with the Washington scene—tells with vivid directness of the high drama of another time of crucial political conflict in our country."

Mr. and Mrs. John Fletcher both share a common North Carolina ancestor, Richard Chapman, a shipbuilder, whose convent-educated South Carolina wife, Cecilia, not only served as an interpreter for French prisoners during the French and Indian wars when the family trekked westward but killed an attacking panther with her husband's axe.

This early colonial background of one of our ablest writers of historical novels must account for Inglis Fletcher's remarks concerning young people and history. "Young people should know their history as a vital background to the events that are happening today. Our history should be taught not only by events but through the people who make them. That is the function of the historical novelist."

Mrs. Fletcher is an organizing member of the Edenton Tea Party Chapter, Edenton, N. C., and its Historian. Many years earlier she joined the D. A. R. in California.

SO LIVES THE DREAM, by Mrs. Pearl S. McFall. Published by Comet Press Books, New York. \$4.00.

This authoritative history of the vast Pendleton farm district in South Carolina shows the step-by-step growth of this segment of our country. This intimate knowledge of the Pendleton section is the result of years of study and research by a fellow member of the D. A. R., Pearl S. McFall of the Fort Prince George Chapter of South Carolina. Mrs. McFall, a life-long member of the Society, has served in many capacities—Chapter Regent, State Corresponding Secretary as well as State Genealogist—and is well qualified to make this outstanding contribution to Americana.

Now available is a new, 84-page booklet, "Report of State and Chapter Contributions and Awards for the Building Program of the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, 1948-1953."

In this booklet, financed by the D. A. R. MAGAZINE, are summaries of contributions for the Administration Building enlargement and renovation. The record of badges, stars and pins awarded each Chapter is printed, as a valuable reference for all time.

Copies were mailed free by the MAGAZINE Office to all National Officers, National Vice Chairmen and State Chairmen of the Building Completion Committee, and each Chapter Regent.

Other copies may be ordered at 25 cents each from the Business Office, 1776 D St., Washington 6, D. C.

With the Chapters

Streator (Streator, Illinois) provided a free entertainment for the Kernan Community Booster Club members late in November. The organization is a rural one near Streator where they have a community hall of outstanding structure and a group of members interested in the fine things of life.

We presented the sound, color film "Colonial Williamsburg" which brought that portion of our early life in vivid reality to the many adults as well as the school children who attended with their teachers. One hundred and fifty were in attendance.

Other numbers on the program included a demonstration and talk on our United States flag; patriotic dance routines; and piano selections of patriotic music.

Local Booster members served a lunch, using patriotic motifs as table decorations. The social time afforded a fine community spirit between the members of both organizations. The project met one of the honor roll requirements.

Mrs. Irvin M. Funk, *Regent*

Fort Dodge (Fort Dodge, Iowa). Fifty years of activity emphasizing "Patriotism and American Ideals" were reviewed at a Golden Jubilee tea held by Fort Dodge Chapter of the D. A. R., Nov. 12, 1953, in the Women's Club House which was the home of Mrs. J. P. Dolliver, organizer of the local group in 1903.

Mrs. Carl Pray, Chapter Regent, welcomed the group. Tea hours were from 2:30 to 4:30. Special guests were Mrs. George L. Owings of Marshalltown who is State Regent, Mrs. Charles E. Swanson, Vice Regent of Council Bluffs, and Mrs. Mary H. S. Johnston, Honorary Vice President General of Humboldt.

Mrs. Francis Mullen, Vice Regent of Fort Dodge Chapter, prepared a musical program. National D. A. R. history, as well as history of the first years of the local chapters were presented by Mrs. P. J. Collins and Mrs. D. M. Kelleher.

Mrs. R. O. Burrows, Sr.
State Press Chairman

Tioga Point (Athens, Pa.). Mrs. Kenneth Hufford entertained the Tioga Point Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, at her home for their Christmas meeting.

The Regent, Mrs. Leslie M. Sairs, conducted the meeting. Mrs. Sairs read excerpts from an article in *McCall's Magazine* by Miss Gertrude S. Carraway, President General, D. A. R., in which she refuted Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt's criticisms of the D. A. R., and pointed out the constructive and widespread patriotic work of our organization.

Mrs. Sairs also read the meaning of the D. A. R. insignia, which is as follows: "Let every hub represent each loyal Daughter's heart; each spoke, some loving memory of those from whom we part; the tire, a noble life well rounded out; each star, a deed of kindness done as we go round about; each flaxen thread, a cord of love to bind us closer, day by day; the distaff, a rod of kindness to guide us all the way."

Miss Beverly Theetge gave a reading "The Littlest Angel" by Charles Taswell.

Joseph Koontz, trumpeter, and Miss Joan Gatz, accompanist, presented several numbers including "My Heart at Thy Sweet Voice" from Samson and Delilah, "The Secret," "The Trumpeter's Lullaby" and "Bless this House."

Mrs. Hufford's home was attractively decorated in keeping with the holiday season, with a Christmas Tree, evergreens, potted plants and candelabra.

After singing familiar carols, refreshments were served by the social committee with Mrs. Reginald Ballord as Chairman.

Elizabeth M. Harris
Vice Regent and Program Chairman

North Riding (Manhasset, N. Y.) standing as a D. A. R. Chapter in the community was recently recognized by the *Great Neck News*, Long Island, through the medium of the following editorial:

"Congratulations to the North Riding Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, which last week celebrated its 23rd birthday.

The D. A. R. is a rather quiet organization, sometimes misunderstood by the public. Many people are inclined to look upon it as a group of women who sit around and drink tea and chat about their Revolutionary forebears. Actually, the D. A. R. is an intensely patriotic society devoted to the preservation of the freedom of the United States, whether such freedom be social, political or religious, and to safeguard the Constitution of the United States and the Bill of Rights.

As a women's organization of vision the national D. A. R. has been responsible for many 'firsts.' It was first to have women in the armed forces (in the Spanish-American War). It was first to aid immigrants at Ellis Island. It was first to introduce occupational therapy for veterans' hospitals. It was first to start schools for underprivileged children, and among the first to plead for military preparedness against the threat of communism.

The North Riding Chapter has consistently worked for the betterment of the Republic. Its record of accomplishment since the organization of the chapter in 1930 is one that its members, and every patriotic citizen of Great Neck, can look at with pride."

Hortense R. Durham, *Regent*

Gaspar de Portola (Palo Alto, Calif.). A dawn redwood tree, whose prehistoric ancestors were the predecessor of the California redwood, was planted at Stanford Friday, November 3, 1953, in honor of Herbert Hoover.

The California State Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution



sponsored the dedication and planting. The ceremony took place on the grounds of the Lou Henry Hoover House which was originally the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hoover. Mr. Hoover presented the house to Stanford following the death of his wife and it was named in her memory.

Herbert Hoover's 3-year-old-great-granddaughter turned the first trowelful of earth.

The tree ceremony, arranged by Mrs. Charles Haskell Danforth, was carried out under the leadership of Gaspar de Portola Chapter of Palo Alto. It opened with a short concert by the Palo Alto Military Academy band, directed by Mr. F. J. Mustell.

Mrs. H. C. Wilmot, Chapter Regent; Mrs. Bruce Livingston Canaga, State Regent, and Mrs. Danforth took part in the program. Mrs. Danforth read a letter from the former President expressing regret that he could not be present and appreciation for the honor.

Mr. Hoover's relationship with the university and his many benefactions were outlined by Mr. Frederic O. Glover, assistant to President Wallace Sterling. Mrs. Sterling read a telegram from Mr. Hoover and later served refreshments to the group in the former Hoover residence, now the university president's home.

Mrs. Canaga introduced Dr. Ralph Chaney of the University of California, who brought the first Dawn Redwoods from China.

The dawn redwoods were rediscovered by Dr. Chaney on a 10,000-mile expedition into the interior of China. The tree flourished in many parts of the northern hemisphere 100,000,000 years ago.

In her dedicatory talk, Mrs. Danforth spoke of the deep admiration, respect and love felt for former President Hoover and declared that his Americanism "is an example for all."

Mrs. Harold G. Otis
*State Chairman of the Advancement
of American Music*

Illini (Ottawa, Ill.). The City of Ottawa held its 100th Anniversary in July, 1953, which was shared in by the Illini Chapter.

After a year's planning, this event opened with a spectacular parade, which was followed by a week's celebration, and

closed with three night's of pageantry at the confluence of the Illinois and Fox Rivers.

The theme of the Centennial was "Industry and Progress." In the parade which presented twenty bands, beautiful floats, antique vehicles and cavalry mounts, Illini Chapter featured a horse-drawn brougham. Telegrams of congratulation were received by President Eisenhower and Governor Stratton.



From left: Mrs. Anna Troup, Mrs. Harry Cook, Honorary Regent, grandson, Clifford Smith, Mrs. Arthur Prichard, Regent, Mrs. Philip Godfrey, Mrs. Strawn Trumbo with daughter, Jane.

Ottawa played host to Abraham Lincoln on many occasions. In 1865 he and Stephen A. Douglas held the first of their famous debates here concerning the extension of slavery. During the Centennial, a re-enactment of this debate was held in Washington Park on the original spot. This spot has been marked by the Chapter with a huge boulder and marker.

Fort Johnson and Fort Wilburn, where Lincoln trained for the Blackhawk War, have also been marked by Illini Chapter.

The Illinois and Michigan Canal was completed in 1848 and the next year Illinois River traffic boomed. In 1853, the first Rock Island train came through. These were colorful years.

People of many countries settled here as indicated by both an old German and French cemetery nearby. The grave of one "Real Daughter" has been marked by Illini Chapter. Historic spots around Ottawa have also been suitably marked by the Chapter.

The 100th Anniversary of Illinois was celebrated in 1918 at which time Illini Chapter presented a white stone fountain to the State. This fountain was placed in

front of the Armory near the Illinois River where the noted explorer, La Salle, often visited. Ottawa is rich in early Indian and French history.

Mrs. Harry Cook, *Honorary Regent*
Mrs. Arthur Prichard, *Regent*

Margaret Gaston (Lebanon, Tenn.) Chapter honored Mrs. Thomas B. Brandon, State Regent, at a coffee in the Fall at the Lebanon Golf and Country Club.

Mrs. Brandon gave an inspiring talk on the work of the chapters in Tennessee.

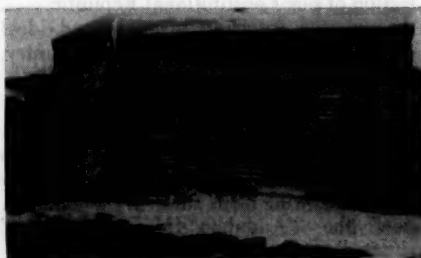
The December meeting, at the home of Mrs. W. W. Hooker with Mrs. Pearl Kirkpatrick and Mrs. Jim McDaniel as joint hostesses, was presided over by the Regent, Mrs. S. B. Gilreath. Mrs. Kirkpatrick reviewed an article by Mr. J. Edgar Hoover on "The Sunday School—Key to Tomorrow." Following this review Christmas poems were read by Mrs. Joe Burton.

The outstanding feature of this December meeting was the decorating and lighting of the Christmas tree and the presentation of about 37 gaily wrapped Christmas gifts for the Children of the Tamassee School in South Carolina, one of the two schools, established, owned and operated by the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Miss Mildred Bouton
Press Relations Chairman

Sally Lincoln (Charleston, Ill.). The cabin pictured below is the oldest log cabin still standing in Coles County, Charleston, Illinois. This building was restored by the Sally Lincoln Chapter and was used by the Chapter as its Chapter House for thirty-one years. In 1952, the Cabin was presented to the local Boy Scouts by the Sally Lincoln Chapter.

Miss Erma Mae Fitch, *Regent*



Fort Dobbs (Statesville, N. C.). Three Awards of Merit were recently presented by the Chapter to Mr. R. D. Grier, General Chairman of Pageant, Mrs. J. S. Evans, writer and director, and Mr. J. P. Huskins, Editor of Statesville Daily Record, in connection with their work in the celebration of the Bicentennial of the First Presbyterian Church of Statesville.



From left: Mrs. David Andrews, Mr. J. P. Huskins, Mrs. J. S. Evans, Mr. R. D. Grier, Mrs. J. C. Fowler.

This celebration was an event which concerned the entire city as it was based on the history of the brave men and women who founded Fourth Creek Church, the town itself, as well as being closely connected with the history of Fort Dobbs.

One of the interesting scenes of the Pageant depicted the arrival of Gov. Dobbs and his plan for the fort.

Mrs. John Cooper Fowler, Chairman of the National Defense Committee, which committee made the awards, stated that, "We believe that in bringing the story of Fourth Creek to the attention of all the young people, as well as the adults, a great deal was accomplished toward building the kind of character we wish to build."

These awards are given in recognition of outstanding work in defense and protection of our Constitutional Republic . . . through the fostering of ideas and ideal that preserve the welfare of our country.

Mrs. David H. Andrews, *Regent*

John James Audubon (Baker, La.) bears the name of the famous American painter who did much of his work reproducing wild birds at Oakly Plantation, now the "Audubon Memorial Park" situated twenty miles from here.

We celebrated our first anniversary November 21st in the attractive home of Mrs. R. A. Stafford; her daughter, Mrs. Robert Leverett Smith was co-hostess.

D. A. R. colors—blue and white—were used in decorating the home.

The luncheon table was centered with a birthday cake. In one corner was a large white rose holding a tiny blue candle. Two blue tapers in silver candelabra flanked the center grouping. The smaller candle, symbolic of the state, was lighted by Mrs. R. A. Stafford, second State Vice-Regent; the larger one, representing the National Society, was lighted by Mrs. James Leake Stirling, advisor to the Curator General of the D. A. R. Museum. Mrs. Thomas P. Roberts, Chapter Regent, lighted the tiny one which was a symbol of the Chapter.

Three babies were presented D. A. R. spoons—Irene Royston Smith, daughter of Mrs. Alfred Smith III; Alice Cooper Langlois, daughter of Mrs. Whitney Langlois; Thomas Edward Robinson, son of Mrs. Wray E. Robinson, Jr.

Thirteen members have come into the Chapter since its organization and eight papers are on file in Washington.

The Chapter has been active from the beginning—contributing generously to all requests for National and State projects.

This Chapter was organized November 5, 1952 in the home of Mrs. R. A. Stafford at a tea to which more than two hundred invitations had been sent. The meeting was presided over by Mrs. Herbert C. Parker, State Regent, and Mrs. Bentley G. Byrnes, State Organizing Regent, both of New Orleans, with many other of our State officers present.

Mrs. Thomas P. Roberts
Chapter Regent

Brunswick (Brunswick, Ga.). The Chapter sponsored a Registration for the Gynn County Civic Defense Council which was held for two days, October 29th and 30th.

The booth in front of the City Hall and the other in the County Casino on Ft. Simons Island were manned by 20 members from the Brunswick Chapter. The result was gratifying as several hundred citizens were registered for the various branches of Civil Defense Service.

Mr. Blanton Miller, Chairman of Gynn County Civil Defense Council, expressed his deep appreciation to the members of the D. A. R. of Brunswick and Ft. Simons for their successful sponsorship of this project.

Mrs. Thomas Hopkins, *Regent*

Nevada Sagebrush (Reno, Nevada). One of its most outstanding programs was arranged by Mrs. Charles Priest, our State Vice Regent, and it was on "American Indians in Nevada."

The speaker for the occasion was one of our former Girl Pilgrim award winners—Lea Hicks Manning. Lea is a beautiful, young full-blooded Indian woman, the mother of 4 small children. She comes from the Shoshone and Piute Tribes—her husband is of the Cherokee Tribe. They live on the Owahee Reservation in Elko, Nevada, where Mr. Manning is engaged in ranching. His wife holds degrees from Bacone College in Oklahoma and Kueha College in New York and the University of Chicago as a Social Worker. Lea expressed her gratitude to the D. A. R. for their help, both while she was growing up, a semi-orphan in the Reno Public Schools, and in her more mature life. Her intermediary school teacher, who helped and encouraged her the most was a member of our Sagebrush Chapter, Miss Marie Loyd, now deceased. Lea won prizes in American History and in her own tribal history while at Bacone College. She won our State Award in 1936, but could not attend Continental Congress that year as Girl Pilgrim because of her musical studies. In conclusion our speaker expressed her philosophy of life: "By giving, you receive so much."



From left: Miss Lea Hicks Manning, Mrs. Robert G. Baker, Mrs. Robert Z. Hawkins.

Next, our Chapter gave an Award of Merit to Senator Pat McCarran of Nevada. Senator and Mrs. McCarran recently celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary; Senator McCarran his 75th birthday and his 50th year of public service to his native state. In accepting his award, with eloquent and heart-felt thanks, the Senator explained the McCarran-Walters Immigration Act to our crowded meeting.



From left: Senator Pat McCarran, Mrs. McCarran.

General Holmes Dagar, who served with the late General George Patton in World War II, and who holds amongst many decorations, the Distinguished Service Cross, spoke to us at our National Defense Meeting on November 18th. Mrs. Holcomb introduced the speaker, who stirred us to our very depths by emphasizing our country's need from within for loyal and continued National Defense.

Katherine M. Hawkins
Chapter Regent

Abigail Adams (Des Moines, Iowa). Iowa's largest chapter, celebrated its sixtieth anniversary on Oct. 12, 1953. Mrs. Carolyn Ogilvie, a newspaper woman, was the founder and through the sixty years Des Moines has added three other chapters.

This celebration, a 1:00 o'clock luncheon, was held in historic Hoyt Sherman Place where the chapter holds their meetings each month. Red, white, and blue flowers decorated the tables. Twelve Past Regents were seated at the speaker's table presided over by the present Regent, Miss Jennie McCall. A huge birthday cake with sixty lighted candles climaxed the luncheon.

A skit was presented in which the activities of the D. A. R. were emphasized, patriotic education, student loans, approved schools, history and correct use of the flag.

The committee in charge arranged a very interesting display of precious data presented through the years. There was the original design of the Iowa Banner, the first scrap book compiled in 1893, a picture of Mrs. George Ogilvie. Four pictures of Abigail Adams' Regents who became State Regents, Mrs. J. A. T. Hull, Mrs. J. Howell, Mrs. Clyde Brenton, and Mrs. Tom Throckmorton. There were pictures of markers placed in Des Moines showing location of the first pontoon bridge, afterward the site of the ferry across the Des Moines River and a marker for the first school house.

Through these documents we are reminded that one of our members, Ida M. Weir, originated in 1933 the installation service for Chapter officers which is in use today. Abigail Adams Chapter had it copyrighted and sold thousands of copies. Another member, Susir Webb Wright, compiled and published a booklet, "Historic Iowa Markers."

The program was concluded by a group of songs popular at the turn of the century, given by our talented member, Mrs. Everett Budd, who wore a beautiful gown of the period.

Mrs. R. O. Burrows, Sr.
State Press Chairman

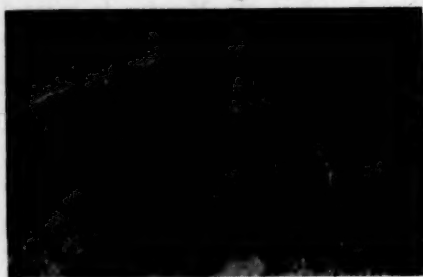
La Cumbre (Santa Barbara, Calif.), one of the three chapters of Santa Barbara, is approaching her 27th anniversary with renewed alertness to cherish and protect the safeguards in our Constitution. La Cumbre insists that her D. A. R. work be outstanding.

At the November meeting the members paid tribute to their organizing regent, Miss Elizabeth Mason, who died in the early summer. She was a historian and an artist-sculptor whose abilities and accomplishments had won her early and wide recognition.

Museums commissioned Miss Mason to model the dioramas of Indian sites and ceremonials. This work of hers is on display in the Smithsonian Institution, the Field Museum, and the Southwest Museum of Los Angeles.

As curator of the Santa Barbara Historical Society and as an active member of the D. A. R. and of the D. A. C., Elizabeth Mason, to the last showed great enthusiasm in tracing and correlating historical events and ancestral data.

In the City Parks along the Pacific Channel are numerous Mason plaques. One such marker, embedded in a large boulder, shows the landing of Juan Cabrillo to our shores; another one lies near the breakwater at the Harbor; others on the County Court House grounds, point to a neighboring one at the site of the old Praesideo; another bronze honors Col. John C. Fremont, who, marching over San Marcos Pass in 1866, took possession of Santa Barbara. One school campus is rearing a Canary Pine tree with our tablet implanted beneath.



Of special interest to La Cumbre Chapter is the bronze marker placed on a large boulder in Blaksley Botanical Garden overlooking Mission Canyon Dam, built in 1807, by Indian labor under direction of the Mission padres.

These notable landmarks serve as pleasing sentinels guarding places and names belonging to the drama of history.

Eleanor Fay, Past Regent

Olde Redding (Reading, Mass.) has repeatedly identified itself with the history of the town, both past and present.

The Parker Tavern, which dates back 258 years and, as far as it is known, is the oldest house still standing in Reading, witnessed the Charter Meeting of Olde Redding Chapter in 1948. On this October 18th, 25 charter members were added to the 25 organizing members.

Among the members present were descendants of the families of Abraham

Bryant, builder of the tavern, and Ephraim Parker, its keeper. Many of our members belong to the Reading Antiquarian Society, owners of the Parker Tavern.

We joined our sister Chapter, "Faneuil Hall" of Wakefield, our adjoining town but once a part of Reading, and the Veterans of Foreign Wars and the Antiquarian Society in petitioning the Board of Education to name a new school in honor of Sergeant Joshua Eaton. This man was the only soldier of the 155 men serving from Reading in the American Revolution who died in battle at Saratoga. The site chosen for the school was the very site of Joshua Eaton's birthplace and occupied a spot on "Scotland Hill" where the Revolutionary War Prison was located.

A beautiful American Flag with stand and plate was presented for the auditorium of the new Joshua Eaton school by the Chapter. At the same ceremony, the American Legion Auxiliary presented a matching flag of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. The following year, the school was presented with a plaque by the Chapter.

At the present time a high school is being erected. The offer of an American Flag for the new school from Olde Redding Chapter has been accepted.

The ancient graves in the old part of Laurel Hill Cemetery have been identified with the planting of an oak tree with an appropriate inscription on a boulder marking the tree.

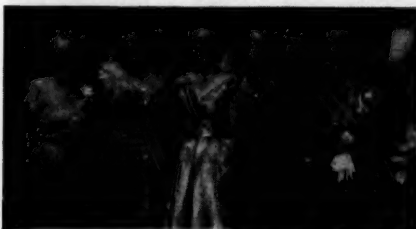
Edna Deane Rankin, *Historian*
Ruth Doris Thompson, *Regent*

Fort Nashborough (Nashville, Tenn.) on September 22, 1953, honored the Chaplain General, Mrs. Will Ed Gupton, a chapter member, with a tea at the home of Mrs. D. W. Smith. Invitations were sent to all National and State Officers, and to Regents and representatives of local chapters.

Approximately one hundred guests called between the hours of three and five, and were welcomed as they entered by the Executive Board of the Chapter. The spacious home was decorated throughout with fall flowers. Decorations, as well as refreshments, depicted thought, individuality, and a sense of pride in the lovely affair for which they were responsible.

Mrs. Elmer D. Rule, 1st State Vice Regent, and Mrs. Jas. S. Beasley, State Librarian, presided at the beautifully decorated tea table.

The honor guest was the recipient of a lovely white orchid from the Chapter, also a number of gift flowers from different parts of the country.



In the receiving line with the honor guest stood the Regent, Mrs. George Robert Smith, the State Regent, Mrs. Thos. B. Brandon, Past State Regent and Past Vice President General, Mrs. Jos. H. Acklen, and Past State Regent and Past Vice President General, Mrs. William H. Lambeth.

Mrs. George Robert Smith, *Regent*

Moravian Trail (Cadiz, Ohio). Twenty-four members of the Moravian Trail Chapter of the D. A. R. enjoyed a special and most appropriate outing for their opening meeting on September 16th, 1953, when they drove to Gnadenhutten. The ladies of the Moravian Church served a delicious luncheon.

At the end of the meal, Miss Kathryn Heck gave a brief history of the settlement of Gnadenhutten and its neighbor Schoenbrunn and of the Moravian Church. Between the years 1772 and 1775 the two towns were settled and built and in 1773 the first white child in Ohio was born. His name was John Roth.

Some of the vestments used in the Moravian Church were on display, the robes worn by the women and children who sang in the choir, the caps of different colors which color would distinguish the age and marital state of the wearer. Candles used in the candle service and an old Communion cup were most interesting.

Mrs. Henry McConnell also read a paper on the history of the community in the meeting that followed.

At the conclusion of the meeting the group paid a visit to the cemetery where, among the historical monuments is one to Joshua, an early native Indian assistant to Rev. Zeisberger and one to the Christian Indians who were killed in the massacre at Gnadenhutzen in 1782 by a party of renegade whites.

Mrs. Milton Ronsheim
Past Regent

Henry Purcell (Chicago, Ill.) is one of seven chapters in the Chicago area. It was named after the Rev. Henry Purcell D. D., who served as a Chaplain during the Revolutionary War. After the war he served as a Rector of St. Michael's Church of Charleston, South Carolina. He was the Revolutionary ancestor of our organizing regent, Mrs. Ralph D. MacManus.



Mrs. James H. Cannon, Henry Purcell Chapter Regent; Mrs. Thomas R. Hemmens, Honorary Chapter Regent and Past State Vice Regent; and Mrs. Robert M. Beak, Illinois State Regent.

On October 21st the Chapter was honored to have Mrs. Robert M. Beak, State Regent, as our guest of honor and speaker. In her talk she brought us up to date on National Projects and the high points of the October National Board Meeting, also explaining projects of the current year in the State and National Societies. Mrs. William B. Ohmsted, Chaplain, opened the meeting with a prayer and a short Scripture reading. As Americanism Chairman she then gave a short talk based on the President General's September Message stressing our Federal Constitution, and the October Message emphasizing our American heritage. Delightful musical numbers were given by Mrs. Ira Davis, pianist, and Mrs. Neil Scoggin,

soloist, daughter and granddaughter of one of our first members.

The members were reminded of our annual gifts shower at Christmas to the service men and women at Hines Veterans' Hospital, and a silver offering was taken for the Library Fund. Several of the Junior Membership Committee were present and exhibited and explained their projects for the year. During the past year the Juniors have obtained five new members. Our Evening Group, composed of business women, have as their main project, D. A. R. Approved Schools. Mrs. James H. Cannon, Regent, presided at the meeting.

A delightful social hour followed the meeting, with refreshments served at a Tea Table lovely in its Autumn motif and flowers.

Mrs. Ralph E. Stern
Press Relations Chairman

Watauga (Memphis, Tenn.). A marker for the grave of a Real Daughter of the American Revolution was dedicated on August 30, 1953, during annual homecoming services at the St. Paul Methodist Church, at Durhamville, Tennessee. Former members and their families gathered from several states for the annual service at the little century-old church.

Following morning worship, and the traditional dinner on the grounds, the group adjourned to the nearby cemetery for the dedication ceremony, which was presided over by Mrs. Walter Mack Berry, of Memphis, Honorary State Regent of Tennessee.

The marker was erected over the grave of Mrs. Elizabeth Green Sweet, born in 1775 in All Saints Parish, S. C. Mrs. Sweet was a daughter of the Reverend Richard Green, a Revolutionary War soldier. She was married in 1800 to Silvius Sweet, who died in 1835. Three years later, she moved with three of her children to Durhamville, where she died in 1839.

Mrs. Sweet was a great-grandmother of Mrs. T. D. Rambo, of Memphis. Mrs. Rambo, a member of Watauga Chapter, presented the marker to Mrs. R. Seth McCallen, Regent of Watauga Chapter. The marker was dedicated by Mrs. Elmer D. Rule, of Chattanooga, State Vice Regent

of Tennessee. It was unveiled by little Mary Julia and David Fisher, Walter Sweet, and Allison McCollum, all descendants of Elizabeth Green Sweet.

The Reverend M. L. Davis, pastor of St. Paul Church, said the closing prayer.

Mrs. R. Seth McCallen, *Regent*

John Young (Charleston, W. Va.). A bronze plaque bearing the law organizing Charleston was unveiled in Charleston's City Hall on December 19, the 159th anniversary of the passage of the law, by the Junior Committee of John Young Chapter. The plaque honors the nine original trustees.

This was financed by contributions from many descendants of the nine trustees, a bake sale, and a rummage sale.

The plaque was presented in impressive ceremony by Mrs. Harper G. Grimm, Chapter Regent, and Miss Virginia Johnson, Chaplain of the Junior Committee, and was accepted for the city by Mayor John T. Copenhaver. Rev. John W. Hollister gave the benediction. The actual unveiling was done by John Mark Slack 3rd and William Mathews Wallace, descendants of John Young, who was one of the original trustees and for whom the chapter is named. The boys are also members of Yomoka Society, C. A. R.

The band of Thomas Jefferson Junior High School, in their "D. A. R. blue" uniforms, played the National Anthem and appropriate music.



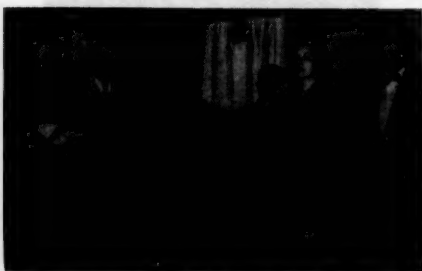
Left to right: Miss Elizabeth M. Wallace, Miss Llewellyn Cole, Miss Martha Cole, Mrs. Jack Harvey, Mrs. Frederick A. Woods, Miss Anne Lowe, Mrs. M. O. Litz (in background), Miss Virginia Johnson.

Refreshments were served after the ceremony under the direction of Mrs. B. V. Blagg 2nd. Mrs. M. O. Litz, Chapter Chaplain, presided at the punch bowl. She was assisted in serving by members of the Junior Committee: Mesdames Frederick A. Lory, Chairman of the Junior Group; George Glasser, Frederick A. Woods, Beverly Rose, Jack Harvey, Misses Llewellyn Cole, Martha Cole, Elizabeth Wallace and Anne Lowe. They also took part in the presentation ceremonies.

A number of descendants of the original founders attended the ceremony, including the following D. A. R. members: Mrs. W. S. Johnson, Organizing Regent of John Young Chapter; Mrs. Carl K. Gilchrist, a charter member of John Young Chapter; Mrs. O. E. Royal, Regent of William Morris Chapter; Mrs. Fanny Field, a 50-year member of the D. A. R.; Mrs. D. W. Taylor; Misses Virginia Johnson and Elizabeth Wallace.

Patricia Plamer Glasner
(Mrs. George)

Secretary Junior Committee



Left to right: Miss Virginia Johnson, Chaplain Junior Committee, John Young Chapter; John T. Copenhaver, Mayor of Charleston; John Mark Slack III and William B. Mathews Wallace, both descendants of John Young and members Yomoka Society, C. A. R.; Mrs. Harper G. Grimm, Regent, John Young Chapter; Rev. John Hollister, Chaplain, Daniel Boone Chapter, S. A. R.

Amsterdam (Amsterdam, N. Y.) Chapter opened its 1953-54 program with a luncheon. Guest speaker was Mrs. Ray L. Erb, New York State Chairman of National Defense, and her topic was "Be Alert, Be Informed and Act Constructively." She clarified several much discussed resolutions concerning National Defense from National Society D. A. R. point of view.

Armistice Day, our chapter presented a new flag to Armistice Day Committee of the American Legion. It was dedicated at West End Memorial Park in our city, a memorial to World War I Veterans. Mrs. Livingston Hess, Chapter Flag Chairman, made the presentation. Mrs. Robert B. Johnson, Regent, recited the D. A. R. flag ritual and Miss Lucy Collins, Chapter Chaplain, offered prayer.



Each month we shall endeavor to broadcast over Station WCSS, Thanksgiving Day, the Thanksgiving Message of our President General, Miss Gertrude S. Carraway. Miss Carraway's message was on the air three times, a consideration greatly appreciated.

We also sponsored the Christmas party for an Americanization Class of about fifty composed of Puerto Ricans, Ukrainians, Lithuanians and Italians. Cookies, ice cream and coffee were served. The cookies were made from recipes of their foreign lands. About one hundred fifty Americanization Manuals have been distributed to new citizens and prospective citizens. We look forward in our chapter to a progressive year.

Mrs. Robert B. Johnson, *Regent*

Jane Bain (Alliance, Ohio). "Preparing for Christmas" was the theme of a Christmas message by Dr. John V. Stephens, Jr., Pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, to members of the Jane Bain Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, at their December meeting held in the Sebring Room of the Mount Union College Library.

Presented by Mrs. L. L. Whitney, program chairman, Dr. Stephens delved into the history of Christmas telling his audience that the birth of Christ did not just happen, it was planned to the last detail.

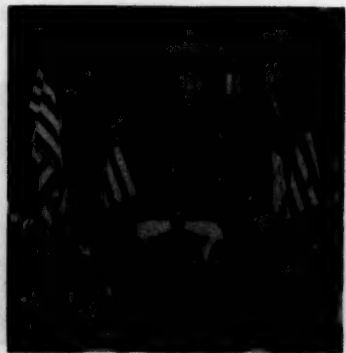
He said that Christ was born at the right time giving three reasons. The birth of Christ needed a dedicated religious people, a common language, and reasonably safe travel, all of which was in order at that time. He urged that the people of today make right preparations for Christmas.

The musical portion of the program was given by the Madrigal Singers of Mount Union College, who sang Christmas music through the ages, including medieval to modern.

Mrs. E. W. Stiffler, Regent, presided over the business session in which it was announced that Mrs. Arthur T. Davis, State Vice Regent, would appear on radio station WFAH's town talk program this week, telling of our D. A. R. Approved Schools and on the same station the first week in January to talk on the Good Citizenship contests sponsored by the D. A. R. A letter was read from Ralph H. Cain, Superintendent, Tamasee School, in appreciation of the fifty Christmas gifts sent from Jane Bain Chapter recently.

Refreshments were served at a tea table with decorations in keeping with the Christmas season. Hostesses were: Mrs. O. H. Engle, Mrs. L. L. Whitney, Mrs. Ruth Hobbs, Mrs. L. W. Doyle, and Mrs. Rhea Montgomery.

Mrs. C. H. Anderson
Recording Secretary



Yearly ceremonial placing of wreath at statue of Rochambeau by the Rochambeau Chapter of Paris, France, July 4th, 1853. From left: Mdme. Mezan de Malartic, Registrar; Mrs. Emory Foster, Regent; Hon. C. Douglas Dillon, U. S. Ambassador to France; Princess Boncompagni (donor of wreath); Mrs. H. Sanua-Seymour, Hon. Regent; Miss Genieve Sanua, Secretary.

Estudillo (Hemet, Calif.). Members of the Estudillo Chapter have dedicated a plaque to the memory of six members who have died since the founding of the Chapter in 1940. The dedication was held at 10 a.m. on Memorial Day in 1953 in the Hemet-San Jacinto Cemetery which is located between Hemet and San Jacinto in the beautiful valley of that name of the towering San Jacinto Mountains.

The departed members are: Miss Madeline Love, Mrs. Mary A. Minty, Mrs. Carolyn Brubaker, Mrs. Lella Poore, Mrs. Virginia Merrill and Mrs. Ruth H. Halman.



Those in attendance (from left): Mrs. Oscar Brudin, Miss Grace Weston, Miss Beulah Budd, Miss Helen Budd, Mrs. L. R. Patton, Mrs. Robert G. Record, incoming Regent, Mrs. Elliott McCormick, retiring Regent, Mrs. Will Guthridge, Mrs. Oliver P. Ensley and Mrs. Alice C. Mathers, founder and organizer of Estudillo Chapter.

This dedication ceremony was arranged and conducted by Mrs. Elliott McCormick, retiring Chapter Regent.

A Reciprocity meeting was held in November in honor of Mrs. Ruth Apperson Rous, State Vice Regent.

Representatives were present from Aurantia, Las Conchillas, Lytle Creek Canyon, Rubidoux, San Marino and San Bernardino Chapters. Guests included prospective members.

Mrs. Rous talked on "What the Daughters Do," stressing the Honor Roll requirements.

The Regent of Estudillo Chapter responded by giving a resume of accomplishments of the local group to date which included participation in 18 National projects and two State projects as well as six Community projects.

Awards are made in three schools in the valley, including two Good Citizenship

pins, two Junior American pins, four pins for the project of the Historian General, three Homemaker awards of silver thimbles (a State project) and a Christmas visit to Neighborhood Center.

In addition to these activities, 100 Spanish Manuals for Citizenship and 100 Flag Codes have been distributed to schools. Two Good Citizenship Awards were made in the Elementary Schools and awards purchased for the California Cadet Corps. The Cadet Corps takes the place of the R. O. T. C. in our schools.

A Christmas party was given for the Junior American Citizens at which 22 members and 14 mothers of the Junior American Citizens were our guests.

Mrs. Elliott McCormick
Retiring Regent
Mrs. Robert G. Record
Incoming Regent

Mary Stanley (Ashtabula, Ohio) celebrated its 40th Anniversary on October 2. The Chapter was founded October 8, 1913, with 20 members. The 60 persons, members and guests who attended the anniversary enjoyed a trip to Mentor, Ohio, for an antique exhibit. Tea at Lutz Tavern in Painesville, Ohio, followed.

This tavern, formerly Rider Tavern, has been in existence since 1812. It is located on Route 20, which was once an Indian trail between Buffalo and Cleveland and later a stage coach route. This tavern was a favorite over night stopping place.

Mrs. K. D. Pattison, Regent, introduced and presented corsages to the three Charter members, Mrs. G. H. Fassett of Palm Beach, Florida, Mrs. Charles Tyler and Mrs. L. T. Carlisle, both of Ashtabula.



From left: Mrs. Charles Tyler, Mrs. G. H. Fassett, Mrs. L. T. Carlisle.

Corsages were also presented to the eleven Past Regents. Pouring at the tea table were Mrs. Charles Cleveland and Mrs. C. C. Roller. Those in charge of arrangements for this Guest Day Anniversary were Mrs. Leo Brown, Mrs. A. C. Peebles and Miss Cora Clark.

Mrs. C. C. Roller
Press Relations Chairman

Augusta (Augusta, Ga.). Meadow Garden, the historic home of George Walton, one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence from Georgia, was the scene of a delightful tea, Tuesday, October 28, 1953, in honor of the members of the State Board of Management, Georgia Daughters of the American Revolution, which met in Augusta, Georgia, for their fall meeting.



Pictured enjoying the musical program from left are: Mrs. John F. Thigpen, Second Vice Regent; Mrs. Earl T. Stribling, State Regent; little Miss Louise Vaughn; Mrs. Lester V. Stone, State Chairman of Meadow Garden; Mrs. J. Carleton Vaughn, Chairman of State meeting; Mrs. Dorothy Karabedian, violinist; Mrs. William O. White, Jr., pianist.

Meadow Garden was never lovelier than on this beautiful fall afternoon, with the Augusta Daughters, costumed in the mode of that long ago period in laces, brocades, satins and silks, flitting from room to room, entertaining the visiting Daughters.

The First Vice Regent, Miss Myrtis McKenzie, Augusta Chapter; the State Chairman of Meadow Garden, Mrs. L. V. Stone, Augusta Chapter; The State Regent, Mrs. Earle T. Stribling, and other members of the State Board of Management as well as the Convention Chairman, Mrs. J. Carleton Vaughn, Augusta Chapter, received the guests in the rear drawing room of the historic home.

The dining room was resplendent in its beautiful furnishings and the lovely ar-

rangements of red roses. The tea table was covered in an antique lace cloth having for its center motif a large silver epergne filled with the same gorgeous flowers. Silver candelabra with burning tapers were used at either end of the table and cast a soft glow over the beautiful room and stylishly dressed daughters. Tea and coffee were poured from very old silver services by Mrs. W. Edward Clark and Mrs. George S. Lombard, Past Regents of the Augusta Chapter.

The guests enjoyed visiting the various rooms in this National Shrine and were enthusiastic over the treasures and relics of by-gone days, which included: a picture of Button Gwinnett, the only one in existence of the Georgia signer of the Declaration of Independence; a portrait of George Washington by John Trumbull; gold and white China of Dorothy Walton, the wife of George Walton and a beautiful old quilt made by her patient fingers; the arm chair which Washington used while a guest at Meadow Garden and many other valuable and interesting things of long, long ago.

Miss Myrtis McKenzie
*First Vice Regent and
Publicity Chairman*

Betsey Hager (Grand Island, Nebr.) presented an Award of Merit to Joe M. Bosler, City Chief of Police, for his outstanding work with young boys of the community.

In 1949 he organized the Junior Police Legion of Honor for boys of 9 to 17 years of age. At 17 the boys may become "leaders." This organization was Chief Bosler's idea of constructive activity to combat juvenile delinquency. Bi-monthly meetings are held in the City Hall Auditorium, at which the boys plan their activities. They organize baseball and basketball teams and hold city-wide parties. They assist the Grand Island Christmas Cheer Organization by delivering gifts and baskets of food to needy families in the area.

An outstanding and popular project of the Legion is the annual Halloween Party for all children of the city, which has been attended by more than 2,000 youngsters. It is held in the city's Memorial Stadium. The entire city benefits from

these parties because the usual Halloween vandalism has decreased materially.

Records of the County Attorney's office show that juvenile delinquency is at the lowest point in 8 years. This is particularly noteworthy at a time when juvenile crime has increased in many parts of the nation to the point where a Congressional Committee plans to investigate the situation. The County Attorney credits this good record, in large part, to the work of Police Chief Joe Bosler and his Junior Police Organization.



Pictured with Chief Bosler as he was presented the award are, from the left: Mrs. H. F. Beckman, Chapter Chaplain; Chief Bosler; Mrs. J. K. McKinney, Secretary; Mrs. Dave Ablowich, Jr., Chapter and State Honor Roll Chairman; Miss Ruth Boyden, State Chairman of Indian Committee; Mrs. J. M. Sprague, Chapter Registrar and State Librarian.

Mrs. R. E. Dutch, *Regent*

Spirit of '76 (New Orleans, La.). Our year with Mrs. Arthur J. Naquin as Regent is one having varied interests including dedication ceremonies, patriotic, historical and educational programs.

At our June meeting we journeyed to the Gulf Coast for our annual outing. The inspiring incident of the day was the burning of our old and faded flag and the imposing ritual for the new one. Mrs. Arthur T. Loving, retiring Regent, Mrs. Arthur J. Naquin, Regent, and Mrs. Clarence W. Chachere, Jr., Chaplain, performed the patriotic duties.

In October, we had another impressive ceremony which was held in Cypress Cemetery in New Orleans at the tomb of Mrs. Miriam R. Green who had been a benefactor and valued member of the Chapter. Mrs. Naquin unveiled the bronze

marker dedicated to Mrs. Green's memory. Mrs. Chachere, Chaplain, closed the services with a prayer.

Mrs. Andrew Golden, Program Chairman, introduced at the October meeting, Mr. Ben B. Matthews, Director of The Louisiana State Museum. His subject was the "Louisiana Sesquicentennial."

Mrs. Martha G. Robinson, a civic leader in New Orleans, talked at the November meeting on the "Constitution of the United States."

In December a program of American music will be presented by one of our members, Mrs. Armand W. Kitto.

For January the guest speaker will be Mr. John Hall Jacobs, Librarian of New Orleans, whose topic will be "American Literature."

Mr. Samuel Wilson, Jr., will tell us about "Southern Architecture" at the February meeting.

"Educational Benefits and Interesting Aspects of Television" will be explained by Mr. Tom Hicks at the March gathering.

A newspaper columnist, Mr. Charles Dufour, will be the guest for the April meeting.

May is chapter business and election of officers.



Reading from (left to right): Mrs. Arthur J. Naquin, Regent, "Spirit of '76" Chapter, Mrs. Matthew Brewster, Past Chaplain General, Past Vice-President General; and Mrs. Herbert C. Parker, State Regent (serving).

At our last assembly we shall be proud to have on the program our own Miss Cornelia Cabral, Junior National President, Children of the American Revolution.

She is the daughter of Mrs. Peter Cabral, member of our Chapter.

Mrs. Fred Evans Lindsay, Jr.
Magazine Chairman

Margaret Montgomery Conroe, Texas). "From Adam to Eve," a book written by Eve Norton Fowlkes, Registrar for the Margaret Montgomery Chapter of the D. A. R., depicts Mrs. Fowlkes' ancestry from Adam to herself. Her illustrious lineage includes numerous kings, dukes, and barons.



In 1917, Mrs. Fowlkes joined the D. A. R. as a member-at-large. She was a member of the William Scott Chapter at Bryan, Texas, and later was Registrar of the Betty Martin Chapter at Temple, Texas. After moving to Conroe, she became Registrar of the Margaret Montgomery Chapter here, which is named for her great-great-grandmother.

Besides being a staunch D. A. R., Mrs. Fowlkes belongs to the following hereditary organizations: The Magna Charta Dames; United Daughters of the Confederacy; Daughters of the Republic of Texas; The Colonial Order of the Crown (descendants of the Knights of the Garter, founded by Edward III, King of England in 1344, the most illustrious Order of British knighthood, the most noble of the Garter—it is said that "No order in Europe is so ancient, none so illustrious. It exceeds in majesty, honour and fame, all chivalrous fraternities in the world"); and the Huguenot Society of South Carolina.

As a hobby, Mrs. Fowlkes has done research on the lineage of countless people. She makes her home with her daughter, Mrs. W. S. Weisinger in Conroe.

Beulah McCloy Foster
(Mrs. W. N.)

Recording Secretary

Treaty Powers

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stitution by labeling any particular international agreement an executive agreement and not a treaty. Yalta alone should prove the need for such a constitutional provision. Yet, Secretary Dulles, speaking in opposition to such a provision, has said that the Yalta Agreement was "unpopular and perhaps ill-advised." Comment on that seems superfluous.

Opponents of S. J. Res. 1 most often describe it as an amendment to limit the President's treaty powers. Actually, the treaty-making power is divided by the Constitution between the President and the Senate. It was divided because the Founding Fathers felt that it would be dangerous if the President alone possessed the power to conclude international agreements. The Administration now contends that the President must have the power which the

framers of the Constitution deliberately denied him. It is contended that the President alone must decide whether a particular international agreement must be approved by the Senate, by both Houses, or by neither House of Congress.

The absolute power to call any international agreement an executive agreement not requiring Senate consent could easily make the President a dictator in the field of foreign policy. That power is negated by S. J. Res. 1. The Administration substitute does not give Congress power to regulate executive agreements.

If the treaty-making power is unlimited, then, as Jefferson observed, "we have no Constitution." By choosing to leave the treaty-making power unlimited, we would choose to live under a government of men unrestricted by law. By applying to treaties the constitutional restraints applicable to ordinary legislation, we would reaffirm our faith in the principles on which our Republic was founded.

Junior Membership Committee

BY MISS LOUISE J. GRUBER

National Chairman, Junior Membership Committee

DURING the week beginning Sunday, April 18, 1954, several thousand D. A. R. members will arrive in the nation's capital for their annual meeting. Included in this number will be several hundred young women of Junior age who are attending the sessions as pages, delegates or alternates. For some it will mean the first visit to our D. A. R. buildings and the first glimpse of a national gathering. Others will be revisiting favorite state rooms, the Library or Museum and renewing friendships formed at other Congresses.

It really doesn't matter in which category a Junior may be, she will find much to interest her and keep her busy. And she will make new friends from the minute she arrives.

The schedule for Juniors begins at the Junior Membership dinner which will be held Sunday, April 18, 1954, in the Williamsburg Room of The Mayflower at 5 p.m. This is a time of good fellowship for all Juniors; a time to meet your Junior leaders and hear what Junior committees throughout the country have been doing during the past year. Our President General, Miss Carraway, will also be on hand to greet the Juniors.

If you are a Junior and can not come to Congress, why not plan to come to Washington for the weekend or the day and attend the Junior dinner—you will be most welcome.

Tribute to D. A. R.

The D. A. R. is one of America's most respected patriotic societies. That reputation has been earned by consistent adherence to constitutional principles; by refusal to dilute patriotic love of country with utopian internationalism; and by revitalizing faith in the religious concept of freedom enunciated in the American Declaration of Independence—that all men possess divinely bestowed and inalienable rights.

Your activities are not inspired by any hope of personal profit or political power.

All reservations must be made in advance with Mrs. Donald Derby, 4700 Reservoir Road, N. W., Washington 7, D. C. The cost of the dinner will be \$5.50 and checks should be made payable to *Junior Membership Committee* and must accompany reservations.

On Monday morning, April 19, at 10 a.m., a Junior roundtable session will be in National Officers Club Room. This will provide time for discussion of Junior work and a period for questions and answers. All Juniors and those interested in Junior Membership work are invited to attend.

The Junior Membership Bazaar will again be located in the main corridor of Constitution Hall. Articles for sale are contributed by Junior committees in almost every state and the most popular things are aprons, toys and potholders. Our line of stationery will also be featured. All proceeds from the Bazaar go to the Helen Pouch Scholarship Fund, the only national fund-raising project of the Juniors. We hope every committee will send in something. Bazaar items should be forwarded, clearly marked for "Junior Membership Bazaar," c/o Administration Building, 1776 D Street, N. W., Washington 6, D. C.

We hope *everyone* attending Congress will stop by—say hello—look at our lovely bazaar things—and help support the Helen Pouch Scholarship Fund. We shall look forward to meeting you all.

Being unselfish in every respect, they are in marked contrast with the activities of those who aspire to regulate not only the daily affairs of their fellow-citizens, but the economic and political rights and duties of nations and people everywhere.

The Daughters of the American Revolution, to its eternal credit, has once again reaffirmed its faith in Jefferson's wise admonition:

"In questions of power, let no more be said of confidence in man, but bind him down from mischief by the chains of the Constitution."

Senator John W. Bricker, of Ohio

Genealogical Department

RECORDS FROM OLD GRAVEYARDS OF MIAMI COUNTY, OHIO

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STAUNTON CEMETERY

- Blue, Michael, d. 21 Dec. 1854, age 79 yrs.-1 mo.-26 days.
a sunken grave at each side.
- Blue, Jacob K., d. July 23, 1840, aged 19 yrs.
- Blue, Sarah, d. July 7, 1840, age 6 yrs. 10 mos.
- Kerr, Catherine, wife of Jesse Kerr, d. June 15, 1817, aged 75 yrs.-9 mos.-29 days.
- Kerr, Mary Ann, dau. of Catherine and Jesse Kerr, d. June 12, 1817, 11 yrs.-1 mo.
- Kerr, Joshua D., son of Jesse and Catherine Kerr, d. June 10, 1817, age 9 yrs.-5 mos.
- DeWeese, Samuel DeWeese, pastor of Baptist Church, d. 23 —, 1819, — yrs.-5 mos.
- DeWeese, Sarah, wife of Samuel DeWeese, d. Apr. 10, 1821—age 46 yrs.
- DeWeese, Thomas, d. Feb. 17, 1838, age 37 yrs.-11 mos.-9 days.
- DeWeese, J. M., d. Feb. 9, 1857—age 57 yrs.
- DeWeese, Elizabeth, wife of J. M. DeWeese, d. Sept. 12, 1851—age 54 yrs.
- DeWeese, Catherine, dau. of J. M. and Elizabeth DeWeese, d. Aug. 26, 1859—age 5 yrs. 20 days.
- DeWeese, Lewis, son of James, d. Sept. 7, 1848—aged 35 yrs. 9 mos. 1 da.
- DeWeese, Isaac, son of Lewis and Hannah DeWeese, d. Mar. 18, 1833—age 1 yr. 1 mo. 16 d.
- DeWeese, Olive, dau. of Lewis and Hannah DeWeese, d. Sept. 3, 1850—age 21 yrs. 5 mo.
- DeWeese, Jacob, son of Lewis and Hannah DeWeese, d. Mar. 18, 1833—age 1 yr. 1 mo.
- DeWeese, Mary Ann, dau. of Joseph and Mary DeWeese, d. Aug. 31, 1839—age 3 yrs. 1 mo.
- Knight, Priscilla, widow of William Knight, d. Feb. 29, 1833—age 71 yrs.
- Knight, William Knight, d. April 30, 1820—age 60 or 69.
- Tullis, Sarah Ann, wife of T. B. Tullis, d. May 23, 1851—age 27 yrs.-3 mos.-4 days.
- Hathaway, Nancy, wife of Emos Hathaway, d. Nov. 29, 1834—age 25 yrs.
- Spencer, Amos, d. Aug. 8, 1849, age 50 yrs.-9 mo.-6 da.
- Spencer, Amos, d. Sept. 21, 1817—age 88 yrs.-4 mo.-13 days.
- Spencer, Ruth Rush, dau. of Amos Spencer—d. Oct. 19, 1811—age 44 yrs. 6 mo.-1 day.
- Smalley, Martha, wife of Amaizah Smalley, d. Sept. 30, 1850—age 60 yrs.-7 mo.
- Jackson, William, d. Dec. 5, 1813—age 74 yrs.
- Jackson, Elizabeth, wife of William Jackson, d. Sept. 23, 1854—age 72 yrs.
- Frencce, Susanna, consort of Aaron French, d. 1812—age 36 yrs.
- Green, Casse, wife of William Green, d. 1838—age 27 yrs.
- Green, Clarissa, dau. of William Green, 1852—age 15 yrs.
- Green, Abbott, son of William and Priscilla Green, d. 1848—age 10 yrs.
- Sayre, Frances, wife of Thomas Sayre, d. 1853—age 76 yrs.
- Sayre, Thomas, d. 1844—age 73 or 78 yrs.
- Bean, Therissa, dau. of McCraven and Jeninna Bean, d. 1835—age 4 yrs.
- Bear, McCraven, d. 1860—age 63.
- Bear, Jennina, wife of McCraven Bean, d. Aug. 20, 1841.
- Luker, Ralph, d. Aug. 30, 1870—age 77 yrs.-9 mo.-18 days.
- Leming, Warren, d. 1850—age 59 yrs.
- Leming, Elizabeth L., wife of Warren Leming, d. 1872-76.
- Hamer, Rebecca, wife of John Hamer, d. Aug. 10, 1840—age 73 yrs.-4 mo.-27 days.
- Dye, Lavina, wife of Thomas Dye, d. Oct. 26, 1849—age 25 yrs.-5 mos.-15 days.
- Dye, Rebecca, wife of James Madison Dye, d. Aug. 30, 1880—age 46 yrs. 5 mo. 17 days.
- Dye, Michael, son of James Madison and Rebecca Dye, d. Mar. 21, 1859—age 3 mo.
- Dye, Elizabeth, wife of James Dye, d. Mar. 29, 1885—age 84 yrs.-10 mo.
- Dye, James D., d. Apr. 25, 1870—age 72 yrs.
- Dye, David Reason, son of Nathan and Lucretia Dye, 1849—age 7 mos.
- Dye, John, son of John C. and Eliza Dye, d. July 2, 1850—age 1 yr. 8 mos.
- Sayers, Frances H. dau. of Thomas and Margaret Sayers, d. June 6, 1852—age 5 yr. 5 mos.
- Martin, Michael, d. Aug. 30, 1861—age 37 yrs.-7 mo.
- Martin, Samuel, d. Oct. 5, 1869—age 74 yrs.
- Webb, Lizzie J., wife of John A. Webb, d. Oct. 25, 1884—age 32.
- Green, Eliza, dau. of Hoseph and Ann Green, d. 1838—age 7 mo.
- Green, Abott, son of W. U. and Mary Green, 1839—age 10 yrs.
- Green, George W., d. Oct. 12, 1836—age 55 yrs. 6 mo.
- McCoy, Maria S., d. Oct. 20, 1824—age 10 mo.
- Martin, Levi Sr., Mar. 22, 1835—age 71 yr.
- Martin, Delilah, wife of Levi Martin, d. Jan. 10, 1839—age 64 yrs. 7 mo. 11 da.
- Fauquier, Mary, dau. of E. and M. Fauquier, d. Apr. 17, 1852—age 5 yrs.
- Fauquier, Rebecca, dau. of Thomas and Phebe Fauquier, 1837—2 yrs.
- Fauquier, Phebe, wife of Thomas Fauquier, d. Sept. 13, 1850—age 50 yrs.
- Fauquier, Thomas, son of Thomas and Phebe Fauquier, May 1850—age 12 yrs.
- Fauquier, Thomas Fauquier, d. Feb. 2, 1845—age 54 yrs.
- Venamon, Edward, son of John and Matilda Venamon, d. June 24, 1849—age 4 da.
- Dye, John M., d. Apr. 1, 1842—age 68 yrs. 7 mo. 7 da.
- Dye, Elizabeth, wife of John Dye, d. Jan. 6, 1852—age 76 yrs.-5 mos.-18 days.

Dye, Thomas, d. Feb. 12, 1840—age 29 yrs.
 Dye, Mehetable, wife of Stephen Dye and mother of 16 children, d. Mar. 21, 1827—age 52—died of hemorrhage.
 Heston, Rachel, wife of Thomas Heston, d. May 12, 1846—age 41 yrs. 5 mo. 12 day.
 Heston, Warren, son of T. and R. Heston, d. Sept. 12-51—age 6 yrs.
 Enoch, Susanna, consort of Aaron Enoch, 1842—age 36 yrs.
 Lloyd, David, d. May 29, 1833—age 78 yrs.
 Lloyd, Isabella, d. Feb. 3, 1839—age 78 yrs.
 Slusser, Mary, dau. of Henry and Mary Slusser, d. Feb. 17, 1831—age 3 mo.-22 days.
 Slusser, Polly, wife of Henry Slusser, d. 1843—age 35 yrs.
 Stinchcomb, Sarah, b. 1794, d. 1839.
 Stinchcomb, David, d. 1850—age 79.
 Clyne, Barbara, dau. of Ingrain and Mary Clyne, d. 1812—age 9 yrs.-26 da.
 Clyne, Ingrain, son of Ingrain and Mary Clyne, d. 1811—age 2 yrs.
 Hutchens, Anderson, d. Mar. 15, 1841—age 60.
 Hutchens, Eddy, wife of Anderson, d. Apr. 1846—age 48 yrs.
 Lloyd, Samuel D., son of David and Sarah J. Lloyd, d. Mar. 20, 1849—age 9 mo. 6 da.

MIDWAY BETWEEN SIDNEY AND PIQUA ON DIXIE HIGHWAY

Line, Joseph, d. Aug. 23, 1875—age 82 yrs.-1 mo.-24 da.
 Line, Esther, wife of Joseph Line, d. Aug. 8, 1875—age 83 yrs.-3 mo.-29 da.
 Line, Joseph Line and Esther Reede were married Jan. 25, 1815.
 Line, Susan, dau. of Uphois and Mary Line, d. Sept. 1865—age 11 mo.-3 da.
 Line, Matilda Jane, dau. of Uphois and Mary Line, d. 1866—age 12 yrs.
 Line, Sarah, dau. J. C. and M. Line, d. 1880—age 18 yrs.
 Line, Joseph, son of J. C. and M. Line, infant d. 1859.
 Line, Mahala Line, b. Oct. 1, 1824, d. 1900.
 Line, Jesse C., b. July 15, 1817, d. Jan. 25, 1895.
 Dixon, Nancy Dillon, d. March 12, 1856.
 Proctor, Ruth, wife of William Proctor, d. July 31, 1863—age 58 yr. 3 mo. 1 da.
 Eldredge, George E., son of John E. Eldredge, d. 1860—age 4 yrs.
 Eldredge, Samuel, son of John and Elizabeth Eldredge, d. 1860—age 2 yrs.
 Eldredge, Rozella, dau. of John and Elizabeth Eldredge, d. 1861—age 1 yr. 29 da.

FLETCHER PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Hollyday, Walter L., son of Rev. W. C. and N. A. Hollyday, d. July 12, 1851—age 5½ yrs.
 Winans, Margaret, wife of John Winans, d. Mar. 26, 1869—age 47 yrs. 6 mo. 11 days.
 Winans, John, d. Aug. 15, 1845—age 36 yrs.-11 mo.-1 da.
 McQuillen, Sarah, d. Feb. 9, 1869—77 yrs. of age.
 McQuillen, John G., d. Aug. 24, 1840—26 yrs. 3 mo. 7 days.
 McQuillen, James, d. Dec. 17, 1847—65 yrs. 6 mo. 5 days.

McQuillen, —? d. July 29, 1854—13 yrs.
 Dunn, Belinda, wife of Andrew Dunn, d. Dec. 1, 1810 or 40—age 21 yrs.-4 mo.-14 d.
 Coblentz, Marydalene, wife of Peter Coblentz—1770-1845.
 Landis, Jacob, d. May 21, 1840—age 54 yrs.-4 days.
 Landis, Elizabeth, wife of Jacob Landis, d. June 14, 1855—age 55 yrs. 10 mo. 20 d.
 Womelsdorf, George, d. Sept. 18, 1848—age 66 yrs.
 Womelsdorf, Leah, wife of George Womelsdorf, d. June 18, 1849—age 54 yrs.
 Yates, William T., son of Edmond and Sarah Yates, d. May 10, 1817—age 21 yrs.
 Munsell, Levi, b. in Conn. Jan. 26, 1764—joined the Army of the Revolution in 1781, d. in *Pequa* (Piqua) Feb. 15, 1849.
 Simmons, Jacob, d. March 23, 1845—age 60 yrs. 5 mo. and 28 days.
 Snyder, Henry, d. May 25, 1850—age 64 yrs.-11 mo.-20 da.
 Snyder, Henry, d. Dec. 26, 1858—age 45 yr.-2 mo.-9 da.
 Snyder, Jacob, son of Henry and C. A. Snyder, d. Oct. 21, 1849—age 5 yrs.-10 mo.
 Snyder, Susanna, dau. of Henry and C. A. Snyder, d. Mar. 7, 1845—age 3 yr.-1 mo.-10 d.
 Snyder, Joseph, son of Henry and C. A. Snyder, d. June 21, 1845—age 3 mo.-6 days.
 Frazier, Mary, wife of G. W. Frazier, d. Oct. 26, 1839—age 25 yrs.-7 mo.-10 da.
 Bowersock, Catrout, wife of Benjamin Bowersock, d. May 18, 1840—age 56 yr. 6 mo.
 Clark, Sarah, wife of V. L. Clark, d. Feb. 12, 1856—age 32 yr.-3 mo.-23 da.
 Suber, James W., son of W. D. and M. A. Suber, d. 1857—age 5 mo.
 Suber, Sarah J., dau. of W. D. and M. A. Suber, d. 1857—age 2 yrs.
 Eldredge, Jonathan, Sr., d. July 20, 1860—age 75 yr.-10 mo.
 Eldredge, Betsy Lee, wife of Jonathan Eldredge, Sr., d. July 20, 1860—age 75 yrs.
 Lane, Lucinda, dau. of Mary and Peter Lane, d. Jan. 21, 1846—age 21 yrs. 4 mo.
 Hill, Benjamin P., son of S. and E. Hill, d. Sept. 23, 1853—age 11 mo. 18 da.
 Toms, Jonathan, b. Jan. 5, 1791, d. Dec. 31, 1883.
 Toms, Mary A., b. Oct. 14, 1797, Mar. 20, 1860.
 Layman, Mary Jane, dau. of Jeremiah and Mary Layman, d. Jan. 22, 1851—age 21 yr.-29 da.
 Silver, Harvey A., d. Nov. 6, 1861—age 31 yrs. 2 mo. 12 da.
 Denman, Margaret A., wife of Abraham Denman, d. Feb. 3, 1855—age 47 yrs. 11 mo.-13 da.
 Mathers, Elizabeth, wife of J. H. Mathers, d. June 24, 1865—39 yrs. 6 mo.
 Mathers, James, son of J. H. and E. M. Mathers, d. Sept. 1865—age 2 mo. 22 days.
 McClintock, George, 1771-1851.
 McClintock, Jane, 1769-1846.
 McClintock, Mary J., 1840-1842.

GRAVEYARD NEAR GARBRY

Rollins, Eunice, d. Sept. 22, 1822—age 18 yrs. 3 mo.
 Rollins, Jatez, d. Sept. 28, 1823 or 8,—age 8 yrs. 2 mo.

Rollins, Eunice, wife of Levi Rollins, d. Nov. 8, 1823—age 47 yrs. 4 mo.
 Rollins, Levi, d. Sept. 1823—age 55 yrs.
 Linne(?), Robert M., d. Oct. 21, 1831—age 83 yrs. 20 days.

WESLEYAN CEMETERY

Rouse, Mary, wife of Joseph d.—
 Rouse, Joseph, d. Oct. 14, 1855—age 84 yrs.-11 mo.-6 da.
 Rouse, Margaret M., wife of F. Rouse, d. June 25, 1852—age 34 yrs. of age.
 Lucus, Lieut. James F. of Co. B. 500. V. I. killed in the battle of Franklin, Tenn. Nov. 30, 1864—age 30 years 5 mo. 13 da.
 Wise, Drusilla, wife of Lewus Wise and dau. of David and Alice Scott, d. June 16, 1861—27 yrs. of age.
 Scott, Hepsioa A., dau. of David and Abbe Scott, d. Aug. 11, 1845—age 13 yrs. 6 da.
 Boyer, William, b. Mar. 7, 1847, d. June 5, 1864, a member of Co. G. 1st Cal.
 Boyer, Anna, wife of G. Boyer, b. Mar. 18, 1822, d. Oct. 21, 1860.
 Boyer, Jacob A., d. Aug. 19, 1839—age 6 yr.-1 mo.-11 da.
 Bobo, Samuel, d. Apr. 28, 1849—age 8 yr.-5 da.
 Heath, John, d. July 23, 1849, age 78 yrs.-3 mo.-25 da.
 Heath, Ester, wife of John, d. Mar. 26, 1864—age 87 yr.-3 mo.-5 da.
 Heath, Peleg, b. 1800 d. 1870.
 Heath, Eliza A., wife of Jesse, d. Feb. 9, 1880—age 67 yrs.-24 da.
 Heath, Jesse, d. Mar. 24, 1874—age 70 yr.-9 mo.-28 da.
 Heath, Justus, son of J. and Ester, d. Aug. 11, 1851—age 3 yrs. 5 mos.-5 da.
 Heath, Martha J., dau. of J. and Ester Heath, d. Apr. 23, 1844—age 4 yrs.-7 mo.-26 da.
 Heath, Sarah C., dau. of J. and Ester, died Oct. 11, 1850—age 3 yrs.-2 mo.-3 da.
 Heath, Nancy N., dau. of J. and Ester, d. Oct. 16, 1850—age 9 yrs.-3 mo.-3 da.
 Heath, Laura B., dau. of J. and Ester, d. Nov. 19, 1856—age 1 yr.-9 mo.-7 da.
 Sanders, Walter, son of William and Helen.
 Sanders, Gephas, d. Feb. 5, 1856—age 61 yrs.-5 mo.-10 days.
 Sanders, Nancy, wife of Gephas, d. Aug. 13, 1871—age 70 yrs.-5 mos.-12 days.
 Sanders, Benajah, b. Feb. 28, 1778, d. Jan. 7, 1819.
 Sanders, Martha, wife of Benajah, d. July 2, 1863—age 76 yrs.-9 mos.-21 da.
 Sanders, May J., dau. of H. and C., d. Sept. 9, 1848—age 4 yrs. 3 mo.-18 da.
 Sanders, Susan, dau. of H. and C., d. March 28, 1868 aged 14 yrs.-1 mo.
 Sanders, Nancy A., dau. of H. and C., Sept. 28, 1875—age 23 yrs. 1 mo.-26 days.
 Sanders, Hezikah, b. Sept. 8, 1822, d. Nov. 28, 1898.
 Sanders, Catherine Mills, wife of H., b. June 21, 1823, d. May 18, 1891.
 Anderson, Abigail, wife of Joseph A., Jan. 12, 1866—age 50 yrs. 8 mo. 15 da.
 Snodgrass, William, b. Aug. 24, 1826, d. May 26, 1896.

Snodgrass, Eunice, wife of William, b. Feb. 18, 1829, d. June 11, 1892.
 Snodgrass, Mary G., dau. of William and Eunice, d. Sept. 28, 1861—age 9 yr.-7-12.
 Snodgrass, Thomas Franklin, son of Wm. and Eunice, b. June 6, 1883—age 20 yr.-7 mo.
 Ridenbaugh, George, d. Jan. 16, 1871—age 32 yrs.-11 mos.-22 days.
 Ridenbaugh, Isaac Newton, son of G. and A.
 Ridenbaugh, d. Mar. 6, 187—9 mo. 12 da.
 Ridenbaugh, Solomon, d. Sept. 11, 1873—age 76 yrs.-1 mo.
 Ridenbaugh, Mary, wife of Solomon, d. May 1, 1871—age 70 yrs.-4 mo.-24 da.
 Brown, Nancy, dau. of John and May, d. March 5, 1833—age 9 yr.-5 mo.-10 da.
 Brown, Henry J., son of John and May, d. Sept. 20, 1845—age 9 yrs.-11 mo. 8 da.
 Thorp, Lewis, d. Jan. 31, 1866—age 82 yrs.-10 mo.-18 da.
 Thorp, Phoebe, wife of Lewis, d. Apr. 2, 1857—age 76 yrs.
 Thorp, Lemuel, b. Oct. 4, 1810—d. Feb. 27, 1897.
 Wikoff, Deborah, wife of John H. Wikoff, d. Oct. 15, 1843—age 43 yrs.-10 mo.-7 da.
 Wikoff, Isaac, d. May 12, 1876—age 68 yrs.-1 mo.-7 da.
 Wikoff, Eleanor, wife of Isaac, d. May 19, 1839—age 68 yrs.-10 mo.-6 da.
 Wikoff, Esther, Wife of Isaac, d. Aug. 14, 1853—age 33 yrs. 3 mo. 5 da.
 Kerns, Cyrus, son of Elias and Mary R., d. Aug. 7, 1862—age 7 mos. 26 da.
 Kerns, Barbara, wife of Joseph, d. Oct. 22, 1868—age 70 yrs.-10 mo.-4 da.
 Kerns, Joseph, d. Dec. 15, 1883—age 96 yrs.-22 da.
 Kerns, John B., d. Mar. 20, 1839—age 21 yrs.-2 mo.-27 da.
 Castle, George Sr., d. Apr. 30, 1821—age 68 yrs.-6 mo.-23 days.
 Line, Margaret A., dau. of John H. and Margaret Castle, d. Nov. 14, 1841—age 23 yrs.-1 mo.-11 days.
 Moore, Lewis, d. March 13, 1885—age 72 yrs.-7 mo.-4 days.
 Berry, Margaret, d. Sept. 20, 1835 in 19 yr. of age.
 Battzell, Aaron, d. Oct. 9, 1845—age 30 yrs.-11 mo. 13 da.
 Underwood, Susan, d. Dec. 24, 1834—age 31 yr.-1 mo.-14 da.
 Underwood, Esther, dau. of John and Mary, d. Apr. 25, 1848—age 29 yr.-2 mo.-15 da.
 Delamatre-John Wesley, son of R. V. and S. S. d. Feb. 5, 1857—age 3 mo.-7 da.
 McKee, Sarah, wife of Thomas, d. Oct. 11, 1847—age 56 yr. 10 mo.-28 da.
 McKnight, d. Feb. 4, 1859.

RANGE LINE CEMETERY

Nicodemus, E., d. Mar. 28, 1818—age 70 yrs.-1 mo.-11 da.
 Radefeld, Jacob, b. in Sachs, Meininyen, Mar. 13, 1778, d. Oct. 5, 1839.
 Wolfe, Melanighthon Luther, son of E. and S. Wolf, d. Feb. 15, 1864—age 1 yr.-9 mo.
 Miller, Mattie Caroline, b. Nov. 3, 1871, d. Feb. 23, 1882.

Miller, Nellie, dau. of Jeremiah and Ann, d. Oct. 26, 1879—age 3 yr.-6 mo.-6 da.
 Finck, Mary, wife of James, d. Mar. 1868.
 Agken, Henry, d. May 24, 1874—age 79 yrs. 5 mo.-8 da.
 Madden, George Christopher, d. Nov. 27, 1864—age 35 yr.-4 mo.-9 da.
 Madden, Mary Catherine, d. June 28, 1865—age 70 yrs.-11 da.
 Madden, Mary, d. Jan. 25, 1866—age 20 yr.-2 mo.-16 da.
 Albin, Hannah, wife of Andrew, d. Jan. 2, 1879—aged 33 yrs.-2 mo.-26 da.
 Albin, Andrew, b. 1844 d. 1923.
 Linggen, Mary, b. Sept. 11, 1819, d. March 22, 1891.
 Gangen, Levi, d. Jan. 9, 1872—age 55 yrs. 8 mo.-29 da.
 Rhodes, Sarah, wife of J., d. Aug. 2, 1900—age 69 yr.-2 mo.-3 da.
 Rhodes, Jacob, d. Apr. 21, 1891—age 62 yr.-8 mo.-11 da.
 Rhodes, John S., d. Sept. 26, 1885—age 61 yr.-9 mo.-20 da.
 Rhodes, Elizabeth, wife of J. S., d. Nov. 20, 1896—age 65 yr.-8 mo.-22 da.
 Rhodes, Catherine, dau. of J. B., d. Feb. 5, 1842—age 28 da.

BETHEL CHURCH CEMETERY

Heffner, George, d. May 15, 1883, in 86 yrs. of age.
 Heffner, Anna N., wife of George, d. Oct. 12, 1877—age 78 yrs.
 Heffner, Mary, wife of Thomas Heffner, d. June 21, 1876—age 40 yrs.-10 mo.
 Heffner, Michael, d. Nov. 22, 1868—age 69 yrs. 9 mo. 10 days.
 Heffner, Elizabeth, wife of Michael, d. Oct. 5, 1882—age 81 yrs. 6 mo.
 Heffner, John E., son of Edward and Lydia Heffner, d. Oct. 8, 1872—age 24 yrs. 3 mo. 29 da.
 Heffner, Margaret, wife of Henry Heffner, d. Nov. 28, 1889, age 63 yrs.-2 mo.-13 da.
 Heffner, Henry, d. Aug. 4, 1904—age 82 yrs.-9 mo.-17 da.
 Heffner, Isaac Edmond, d. May 17, 1890—age 70 yrs.
 Heffner, Catherine, wife of Edward, d. June 5, 1897—age 71 yrs. 9 mo.
 Gantz, Liddy Ann, d. Jan. 20, 1796—age 66 yr. 9 mo. 18 da.

COLEMAN BAKER FARM

McVay, Mary, b. June 3, 1815, d. June 17, 1855.
 McVay, in memory of Merietta, wife of Henry McVay, d. May 13, 1843.
 McVay, in memory of Philadelphia, dau. of Heney and Marietta McVay, d. June 15, 1843—aged 2 yrs.-1 mo.
 Cecil, Elizabeth, b. June 3, 1815, d. June 17, 1855.
 Cecil, Dewitt C., b. March 26, 1826, d. June 2, 1833.
 Cecil, William W., b. Oct. 8, 1786, d. Sept. 12, 1865.
 Cecil, Anna C., b. Sept. 24, 1787, d. April 8, 1830.
 Mayginn, Sarah, wife of Gilbert Marshall and dau. of A. and J. Mayginn, d. Aug. 20, 1819—age 22 yrs.-1 mo.-27 da.

Maygillis, Jane, wife of A. Maygillis, d. Jan. 16, 1857—age 53 yrs.-3 mo.-5 da.
 Maygillis, Daniel, son of A. and J., d. Sept. 30, 1848—age 24 yrs.-10-14 da.
 Stapleford, Perlena, wife of T. Stapleford, d. Dec. 29, 1831—age 23-3 mo.-12 da.
 Steward, George T., son of Thos. T. and Elizabeth Steward, d. Mar. 6, 1853—age 2 yr.
 Sullenbarger, Laura, dau. of George E. and Elizabeth Sullenbarger, d. Dec. 8, 1871—age 15 yrs, 9 mos.-3 da.
 Hubbell, Margaret A., wife of G. V. Hubbell, d. Dec. 25, 1819—age 19 yrs.-10 mo.
 Hubbell, Eunice, d. Oct. 20, 1845—age 60 yrs.
 Munsey, John, d. Oct. 17, 1846—age 46 yrs.-10 mo.-12 da.
 Munsey, Maria J., wife of Skidmore Munsey, d. Apr. 15, 1839—age 33 yrs.-10 mo.
 Munsey, Adam C., d. July 18, 1839—age 1 yr.-9 mo.
 Jackson, John, d. Aug. 14, 1855—age 9 yrs.-6 mo.-26 da.
 Jackson, Fanny Eldory, d. Apr. 17, 1859—age 3 yrs.-4 mo.-8 da.
 Bailey, Rachel, wife of Francis Bailey, d. Aug. 18, 1858—age 46? yrs. 11 mo. 20 da.
 Marshall, Sarah A., dau. of Jesse and Evey Marshall, d. Dec. 24, 1851—age 3 yrs.-2 mo.
 Carper, Jacob, son of Frederic and Sallie Carper, d. Apr. 29, 1852—age 20 yrs. 1 mo.
 Wood, Timothy O., b. Apr. 3, 1803, d. June 26, 1868.
 Wood, Mary Seator Wood, b. Mar. 10, 1806, d. Nov. 16, 1882.

THE OLD MCKINNEY CEMETERY
NORTH OF PIQUA, OHIO

Winans, Elizabeth, wife of James, d. July 30, 1843—age 36 yrs., 6 mo.-18 da.
 Winans, Lois, widow of John Winans, d. July 31, 1859—age 75 yrs.-10 da.
 Winans, John, d. Aug. 15, 1833—age 51 yrs.
 Scudder, Mathias, d. Oct. 18, 1827—age 90? yrs. and 30 da.
 —, — who died July 25, 1816 in — — — — ?
 Gearhard, William, d. 1847—age 69 yrs.
 Gearhard, Elizabeth, d. 1853—age 67 yrs.
 Townsley, Betsy, wife of Samuel Townsley, d. July 7, 1837—age 44 yrs.
 Townsley, Elizabeth, wife of Samuel who departed this life, Sept. — ?
 Penniman, Hannah, sister of Dr. E. Crosby, b. in Thompson Co., Conn. Jan. 1, 1782, d. Nov. 11, 1861. "Rest in Heaven."
 Patterson, Robert, d. Sept. 29, 1838—age 42 yrs.
 Patterson, Rebecca, wife of Andrew Patterson, d. Oct. 17, 1838—age 26 yrs.
 Frank, Jeremiah E., son of J. and H. Frank, d. Oct. 4, 1864—age 24 yrs.
 McKinney, Archabald, d. Oct. 6, 1856—age 53 yrs.-1 mo.-22 da.
 Lawhead, Susannah, wife of Lenard Lawhead, d. Mar. 18, 1852—age 40 yrs.-6 da.
 Manning, Elizabeth, wife of Lewis Manning, b. Oct. 1, 1822, d. Oct. 9, 1870—age 48 yrs.
 Ward, Frank M., d. Feb. 21, 1850—age 1 yr.
 Ward, Rebecca, d. April 8, 1846—age 27 yrs.
 Ward, Melinda, d. Aug. 30, 1841—age 16 yrs.
 Ellis, D. Webster, 1st Searg't, Co. 1 71 Reg't. O.V.V.I., b. June 9, 1842, d. May 1, 1872.

Rees, Elijah, b. Dec. 8, 1799, d. July 18, 1849.
Rees, Sarah, wife of E. Rees, b. Nov. 10, 1801,
d. Aug. 4, 1888.

Miller, Sydney, d. Sept. 21, 1838—age 17 yrs. 1
mo.

Miller, Nancy Caroline, dau. of Mathias and
Sabina Miller, d. Oct. 30, 1861—age 10 yrs. 5
mo. 17 da.

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appreciated.

Queries

**Thompson-Lewis-Meyers-Hisrodt-Clement-
Cronkhite**—Want par. of Rachel, w. of Levi
Thompson, son of Levi and Lucy Woodford
Thompson of Farmington, Conn. Levi and Rachel
settled in Wells, Vt. where he was constable
1821-23. Ch., Byron, Lucy, Susan, Joseph, Lucy
Thompson, m. Archibald Lewis and set. in Mich.
He was son of Isaac Lewis and Polly Lambert of
Otsego Co., N. Y. Who were Isaacs par.?

Want par. of Anna Myers and Martin His-
rodt, m. bef. 1794; ch., Martin, Catherine, Polly,
Eliza, Demares, Julia, Eunice, all b. Dutchess
Co., N. Y.

Want par. of Samuel Clemens and w. Betty
Knapp, son Samuel b. Jan. 1, 1771 in North-
bridge, Mass. In 1775 fam. moved to Croydon,
N. H. What became of par.? Son Samuel was
raised by a farmer in Conn., m. Ruth Hibbard,
dau. of David Hibbard and Leah Cronkhite, b.
1751 in Conn. dau. of Jacob Cronkhite. Want
her b. rec. fr. Cronkhite Bible held by Wells
fam. of Syracuse, N. Y.—Mrs. B. B. Adams,
R. F. D. 1, Coldwater, Mich.

Bassett-Kendall—Samuel S. Bassett b. 1813,
prob. New Haven, Conn. where he was in
leather business of firm of Bassett & Atwater
as early as 1847, m. there to Sarah Mott, Nov.
1848 (Thanks. Day.), b. 1822, d. 1897, dau. of
John Mott, b. July 14, 1799, d. June 27, 1866,
(1) c. 1819-20 Sibbah (is this her name or pet-
name) Talmadge b. Sept. 15, 1800, d. Feb. 7,
1828, all 4 tombs in Presb. Chyd. at Rockaway,
N. J. Who were par. of Samuel S. Bassett, d.
1886 in Rockaway? D. A. R. line des. Also for
John Mott (above) 1799-1866, whether to be fd.
in N. J. apparently. Trad. says the Motts "came
from Sag Harbor, L. I. to N. J." Was John son
of Gershom Jr. and Deborah Carman, wed Apr.
23, 1751?

Also Reuben Kendall who came to Ga. post
1820, in the Wilkes Co. 1850 and 1860 census was
aged 47 and 57 resp., therefore b. in 1803 some-
where in Mass. It appears he m. there the 1st w.
kn. to us, Eveline Saffold (est. mar. not later than
1835, likely earlier) and had 3 sons: James-
Lyman, Capt. Wm. Richard (Dick), Isaac Bolton,
dau., Martha-Evelina-Anderson Kendall. Had no
issue by (2) w., Jane Jones, wed June 22, 1840

or (3), w., Elizabeth, dau. of Moses Sutton, wed
June 2, 1843. Had 3 sons by (4) w. Letitia, (sis.
of Elizabeth) Rhodes Sutton: Geo. Wilkins, b.
Oct. 31, 1846, Joel Sutton, b. Nov. 4, 1849,
Reuben Whitfield, b. July 21, 1851. The line
fr. Joel is carried to date. Had only dau. by (5)
w., Mrs. Cordelia A. Snelson, Loula who m.
Robt. Piner and had no issue. Was Reuben's
m. a Lyman? Tradition says so. His eldest son
was called James Lyman Kendall. Also asso.
Reuben with Mt. Tom in Mass. Can anyone
throw any light on this to clear a Kendall
D. A. R. line?—Mrs. Margaret Scruggs Carruth,
3715 Turtle Creek Blvd., Dallas 19, Tex.

Swan-Graves-Owen—Trying to trace ancs. of
George Swan, 1785-1853 of Fayette Co., Ky., m.
Mary Graves of same Co. and rem. to Rushville,
Ill. abt. 1830. Was George Swan a gd.son. of
John Swan, 1721-1799 and Elizabeth Lucas, 1722-
1805, of Greene Co., Pa.? This John Swan was
b. in Loudon Co., Va. George may have been
son of John Jr., Thomas or Richard who m.
Van Meter sis. or of William who m. Sarah
Harrod.

Who were Mary Graves par.? Was she a dau.
of Thomas Graves, a Rev. Sol.?

Helen Swan, dau. of George and Mary, m.
William Owen, 1803-1872. Who were his par.?
Was he Desc. of Brackett or of David Owen?—
Mrs. H. N. Boyles, 1156 No. Hill Ave., Pasadena,
Cal.

Killingsworth-Salisbury—Wd. like to exc.
data on Jacob Killingsworth, Lt. in Rev. War fr.
Richland Co., S. C. Also inf. on Pettigrew Salis-
bury, d. 1794, left will Richland Co., S. C.—Miss
Marie Williams, P. O. Box 216, Summerton, S. C.

Main-McNeil—Wd. like to kn. par. of Philura
Main, b. Sept. 17, 1806 at N. Stonington, Conn.
She l. and d. at Oxford, N. Y., m. Charles A.
McNeil of Oxford, N. Y., June 2, 1825. Who
were gd.par. of Charles A. McNeil, son of John
McNeil, b. Dec. 4, 1767, d. July 26, 1832 at
Oxford, N. Y., who m. Mary (Wise) McNeil, b.
Dec. 6, 1770? They came to Oxford, N. Y. fr.
Hillsdale, Columbia Co., N. Y. in Feb. 1791 with
their 2 sons, Ira and Lurman.—Mrs. James
Clifford Meyers, 707 Coleman St., Easton, Pa.

Skellinger-Seward—Anna Seward, b. N. J.,
m. Nathan Skellinger, b. Ulster Co., N. Y. How
many ch. did they have besides Harriet, b. Mar.
27, 1815 who m. Dr. Francis Lewis of Catharine,
N. Y.? Wd. like to kn. par. of Anna Seward and
Nathan Skellinger, when and where born, lived
and died.—Mrs. Stanley F. Hahn, 615 Hampton
St., Easton, Pa.

Washburn-Robinson-Loomis—Want data on
James Boston Washburn, b. Oct. 10, 1814, d.
May 7, 1874 and his w., Eliza J. Robinson, b.
Mar. 13, 1817, d. Mar. 9, 1869. Both b. Wash-
ington Co., Ky. and d. in Lewis Co., Mo. Their
son, John Cornelius, b. May 7, 1848, d. Sept. 19,
1906, m. Dec. 5, 1877 to Laura J. Loomis, b.
Feb. 7, 1859, dau. of James Joline Loomis, b.
Sept. 25, 1830, N. J. and his w., Mary Elizabeth
Wooten, b. Oct. 1833, Ky. James J. Loomis was
son of Eli Loomis, w. of Ann Maria Joline. Any
inf. on these fam. will be app.—Mrs. H. L. Wash-
burn, 3305 Fannin, Houston 4, Tex.

Shankle-Swearingen—Elizabeth Shankle m.
John Swearingen, b. Aug. 6, 1735, son of John
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Elizabeth, b., d., m. and places. Thomas Swearingen, presumed to be son of Gerret Van Swearingen and 1st w., Barbara de Barrette, m. Jane. Want data on Jane. Was she a Doyné as has been advanced?—Mrs. Charles W. Walter, "Griffith's Adventure," Granite Rd., R. F. D., Woodstock, Md.

Spicer, Latham-Owen families—James Spicer, b. Groton, Conn., 1753, d. Edgecomb Co., N. C. 1828. Want names of par. Did this James Spicer m. Keziah Latham, b. 1755, Onslow Co., N. C. and have a dau. Keziah Latham Spicer, b. 1776 in N. C., d. 1812, Providence, R. I.? Want names of par. of Cornelius Herring Owen, b. 1774, Providence, R. I., d. 1812 in Providence, R. I. Did he have dau. named Cornelia Keziah Owen, b. Providence, R. I. either 1797 or 1807. Whom did she marry. Want names of her ch.—Mrs. William J. Farber, 1719 Blouin Ave., Baton Rouge, La.

Clayton - Carter - Hale - Winkler - Tucker - Miller-Morton-Powell-Black—Who were par. of Sarah Clayton and Barnabas Carter, m. Dec. 26, 1802, Nelson Co., Ky.? Was he the Rev. Sol. liv. in Nelson Co. in 1840? Ch. bel. to be: Joseph, Barnabas C., William, John and Thomas. Joseph Carter m. Margaret Hale, Nov. 26, 1835; Amanda Carter m. William Harvey Miller, Mar. 30, 1855; Emma Clara Miller m. Alford Vivian Powell, July 21, 1878, all in Spencer Co., Ind. Who were par. of William Harvey Miller, known to be 19 yrs. old in Spencer Co., Ohio Twp., census 1850? His m.'s name was Mary.

Mary Ann (Polly) Winkler, b. 1797, m. James Hale, Jan. 20, 1814, in Ohio Co., Ky. Who were par. of Mary Ann? Is it Adam Winkler listed in Hist. Daviess Co., Ky., came there fr. N. C. abt. 1812? Catherine Tucker m. Levi Hale, Sr., Dec. 3, 1794, Mercer Co., Ky. Who were par. of Levi and Catherine? Rev. Rec?

Sophia Black m. William Powell, Mar. 20, 1818, Spencer Co., Ind. She was dau. of Wm. Black whose ch. were: Green, Henry, Spencer, Docia, Nathenia and Sally. Who was f. of Wm. Black? W.'s name? Rev. Rec?

Hannah Morton, m.—Powell, who d. and she m. Uriah Lamar. What was name of Wm's f. and Hannah's hus.? Where m.? The Lamars came fr. Md. via Tenn. and Ky. to Ind. Par. of Hannah Morton?—Miss Hazel M. Mortimer, 1523 Burton St., Rockford, Ill.

Raynes-Raino-Rano-Rann—Pre. gen. of desc. of Capt. Francis Raynes of York, Me. who reputedly came to Barbados in ship Truelove in 1635. Par. des. inf. abt. ch. of John Raynes, f. of Elias Raino, f. (?) of Joseph Rann who d. Poultny, Vt. 1800. Kindly send names and addresses of any persons by name of Rann. Extremely int. in proving line of desc. John Raynes, Elias Raino, Joseph Rann.—Robert B. Newcomb, 825 Richmond Ave., Buffalo, N. Y.

Ragland—Want dates and places of b., d., and m. of Henry Ragland. B. 8-17-1777—where—, m. Easter or Ester Allen (where) b. 8-9-1783, (where). They had a son, Henry Walton Ragland, b. 9-22-1817, Jackson, Miss., m. 4-13-1847, Anna Jane Magee, b. Apr. 26 at Roans Prairie, Grimes Co., Tex. Want names of par. of Henry Ragland, dates and places of b., d., and m. Also Rev. Ser.—Mrs. R. G. Grabein, 528 E. 21st St., Cameron, Tex.

Silliman—Inviting cor. with all Silliman desc. Am col. data on Silliman fam. for a genealogy. Your aid and co-operation solicited.—Mrs. Albert J. Coven, 2415 N. E. 41st Ave., Portland 13, Ore.

Riggs-Caniff-Van Valkenburgh-Peet-Outman (Outman)-Andrews—Wd. like to ascertain parentage of following: Phebe Caniff, b. 1786, d. Feb. 27, 1823, m. Aug. 22, 1804 to George Riggs, b. 1786, d. 1851, res. Westernville, N. Y.; Tanica (Lenetta) Van Valkenburgh, b. abt. 1780, m. Luke L. Wessles, b. 1780, d. 1860, m. 1799. Montgomery Co., N. Y.; Christynte (Christiania) Van Valkenburgh, 1728-1803, m. 1747, Abram Hugenin (Hugenor); Montgomery Co., N. Y.; Abigail Peet, b. Oct. 8, 1738/9, d. 1823, m. 1757 to John Riggs, Stratford or Milford, Conn. Possibly dau. of Joseph Peet?; Abigail Andrews, b. Mar. or May 20, 1667, m. Gov. Jonathan Law, b. 1674, possibly dau. of Nathan Andrews, Stratford, Conn.; John Outman (Outman) m. Dec. 31, 1725 to Elizabeth Jeanes (Janes) who was b. 11-5-1695, Stratford, Conn.—Mrs. Anthony M. Ries, 109 W. Pershing Blvd., Cheyenne, Wyo.

Smith—Want proof that Eleazer Smith, b. Sept. 24, 1771, son of Aholiab and Ludia Ballou Smith, who liv. in Hartford, Washington Co., N. Y., was the Eleazer Smith and w. Elsie, who md. to Cicero, Onondaga Co., N. Y. betw. 1826 and 1830 fr. Washington Co., N. Y. wh. Eleazer (Elizur) d. in 1848 in his 78th yr. Also want maiden name of Elsie yho d. 1841 at 63.—Mrs. B. F. Ladd, Salem, N. Y.

Griffin-Camphor-Biggs—Reward will be pd. for par. of Rachel Camphor or Camper (ca. 1791-1824) w. of Philip Griffin, Jr. (1782-1854) of Baltimore, Md. Was she fr. Camper fam. of the Eastern Shore, esp. Queen Annes Co.? They were m. ca. 1808; not rec. at Balto. He was a miller by trade and in 1850 Insp. of Butter and Lard for City of Balto.; and m. (2) Elizabeth Martin, license dated Dec. 11, 1826. Following unidentified mar. lic. is also rec.: Philip Griffin and Rachel Johnson, Mar. 3, 1805, Balto. Among the ch. of Philip and Rachel (Camphor) Griffin were fol. fr. priv. rec.: 1. Mary Griffin, b. ca. 1808, d. ca. 1885 at Bryan, Tex., m. Oct. 31, 1830, M. E. Ch. Balto. to William Channell Pickering Townsley fr. Mass. Settled as pioneers at Boonville and Sedalia, Mo. He d. Oregon ca. 1855. 2. Robert Burns Griffin, b. Dec. 7, 1819, d. Apr. 3, 1879 at Boston. Wholesale boot and shoe merch. of Balto. M. Nov. 7, 1883 at M. E. Ch., Balto. to Elizabeth Hayes, dau. of Reverdy and Tabitha (Fairbairn) Hayes. 3. George Griffin, b. ca. 1812-13, Inn-Keeper and Farmer of Frankstown and Hollidaysburg, Blair Co., Pa. and West Greenville, Mercer Co., Pa. and last of Geauga Co., O., m. in Pa. (where) to Catherine Bottinger. 4. James E. Griffin, b. ca. 1814, Farmer and Blacksmith of Freeport, Pa. and pioneer in 1855 to Excelsior and Chanhasen, Minn., m. where? to Mary Ann Armstrong and (2) ca. 1850-53, wid. Elvira Galbreath. 5. John H. Griffin, Hotel-keeper and Millwright, b. 1815-17, Pioneer of Sedalia, Mo., d. at East Pueblo, Col., Apr. 24, 1880, m. Oct. 20, 1847 in Pettis Co., Mo. to Nancy Jane Gravens. 6. Edward Burns Griffin, b. Sept. 15, 1824, d. at Canton, O. Aug. 5, 1889, Meth. Min. of many circuits in western Pa., m. May 25, 1848 at Pittsburgh to Narcissa Young Stevenson, dau. of Dr. Josiah and Anne (Espy) Stevenson of Kittanning, Pa. 3 ch. of 2nd m. of

Philip Griffin (1782-1854) as follows: 1. Andrew Griffin, b. ca. 1830, Miller of Balto. Co., Md., bel. to be same who m. Feb. 3, 1851 at Balto. Caroline Beissler. 2. Joseph Griffin, b. ca. 1832, Silver-smith, Balto. 3. Amanda or Marinda Griffin, b. ca. 1834, d. June 26, 1863, m. John Dissenbaugh of Balto. Res. at Phila. All the above 9 ch. were b. at or near Balto., Md.

Also **Biggs**—Parentage wanted of Elizabeth Biggs, b. 1737, where?, m. 1756 to Nathaniel Tileston of Dorchester, Mass., son of Timothy 3rd and Prudence (Leeds) Tileston.

Also **Bragdon**—Name wanted of Joanna, w. of Thomas Bragdon, son of Benoni Bragdon of Berwick, Me., m. ca. 1725-30.

Also **Davis**—Names wanted of Judith, w. of Timothy Davis of Amesbury, Mass., m. ca. 1730-40.

Also **Hanscomb**—Par. of Elsie Hanscomb, b. ca. 1740 prob. at Kittery, Me. or Portsmouth, N. H., m. May 14, 1761 at Portsm. to Thomas Pettegrew and rem. to Calais, Me.

Also **Hasey**—Par. of Sarah Sexter Hasey, b. Feb. 1, 1731, where?, prob. Malden or Chelsea, Mass., m. Dec. 17, 1750 to Joseph Lewis, b. Jan. 11, 1723/4, son of Isaac and Hannah (Hallett) Lewis, rem. to Boothbay, Me. and fd. Lewis fam. there. Ref.: Daughters of Founders and Patriots, col. 21. The Hist. of Boothbay, etc., gives her name as Sarah Dexter.

Also **Parker**—Name wanted of Mary, w. of Isaac Parker, Jr. of Groton, Mass. and Charleston, N. H., son of Lt. Isaac and Ruth (Blood) Parker. Isaac, Jr. was b. at Groton, May 7, 1709.

Also **Parker**—Name wanted of Olive, w. of Thomas Parker of Winslow, Me. He was b. Aug. 1, 1736 at Groton, Mass., a son of Isaac, Jr. and Mary, above.

Also **Sloss**—Names wanted of w. of Joseph Sloss, mariner, whose estate was adm. at Boston, Mass. Oct. 22, 1773; dau. Mary, b. 1726, m. 1754 at Ch. of Presb. Strangers, Boston, to Andrew Reed II of Boothbay, Me. Was he the same Joseph Sloss with w. Eliseth who were of Phila., Pa., ca. 1750?

Also **Stevens**—Want origin of Moses Stevens who was of Wells, Me., ca. 1700 and m. there Nov. 16, 1703 to Elizabeth Buckland.—R. G. Smith, 487 Union Ave., Laconia, N. H.

Hayes - Hays - Simmons—Wanted: complete parentage of Leonard Hay (e) s of Barnesville, Montgomery Co., Md., b. 1759; d. Sept. 14, 1822, land-owner and first store-keeper at Barnesville; m. Eleanor Howard Simmons, license dated Aug. 24, 1782, Frederick Co., Md. She was b. 1760; d. Oct. 25, 1833. 7 ch. as follows fr. priv. rec.: Abraham, b. June 12, 1783; rem. to Mo. ca. 1849; d. there 1860; m. Elizabeth Tillard: Sarah, b. July 17, 1785; m. William Candler: Samuel S. b. Apr. 1, 1787; d. Sept. 5, 1857; m. Anna Rawlings: Abigail, b. June 5, 1789; d. May 10, 1857; m. William Trail, as 2nd w.?: Eleanor, b. July 13, 1791; d. Feb. 8, 1873; m. Elisha Howard: Leonard II, b. July 30, 1793; d. Apr. 25, 1864; m. Eliza Sprigg Poole: William S., b. May 9, 1797; d. Oct. 24, 1842; m. Eleanor Hardy. Most of the abv. left wills incl. Leonard Sr. Abraham, William, Samuel may all have had middle name Simmons. Exc. data on Hay (e) s

of Montgomery Co., Md.—R. G. Smith, 487 Union Ave., Laconia, N. H.

Osborn-Greene—Daniel Osborn, b. June 29, 1764 in Suffolk Co., N. Y. m. Jane Greene, b. Jan. 3, 1767—had 8 ch.: Abigail, Jane, Emeline, Daniel, Jr., Alonzo, Livonia, Samuel and Chatfield. In 1821, with 8 ch. they mig. to Wayne Co., Ind. wh. Daniel d. May 13, 1846 and Jane, his w., d. June 9, 1840. Who were par. of Daniel Osborn: Will in Suffolk Co. 1771 of Capt. Daniel Osborn lists son, Daniel, also will of Jonathan Osborn 1781 lists son, Daniel. Could one of these be his f.? Who are par. of Jane Greene? Any inf. appr.—Mrs. Glenn A. Welsch, 2111 Westover Rd., Austin, Tex.

Sherwood—I am trying to trace my ancs. back on f.'s side. F. was William Leighton Sherwood, b. Canton, Ill., May 1, 1853. His f. was Leighton Sherwood, m. in Canton but of some other town in Ill., was b. we th. in Ballston Springs, N. Y. Leighton's f. was Miner Sherwood, his m. Robah. Want any data abt. Leighton Sherwood and his ansc.—Marie S. Wyman, 1326 N. Maryland, Glendale 7, Cal.

Doughty-Shrover-Brownfield—Want par. of Joseph Doughty, b. May 12, 1812, bel. N. Y.; d. Oct. 17, 1871 near Lawrence, Kan. Also par. of Catharine Shrover, m. John Brownfield, b. Augusta Co., Va., d. o. Their son, Abraham Brownfield m. Surilda Margaret, dau. John Gourley and Mary McGee.—Mrs. C. D. Tofflemire, P. O. Box 36, 419 N. Grant, Marshall, Mo.

Fox-Phelps-Van Ranslear-Bullock-Pixley—Inf. of Barclay Fox of Falmouth, Eng. His son, Amos Fox m. Sybel Phelps. Bel. they liv. in Vt. 3 gen. Amos Jr. m. Mary Nile Van Ranslear. 4 gen. Samuel Fox, b. Oct. 27, 1796; d. in Warsaw, Ill.; m. Dorothy Bullock, b. Apr. 20, 1805, d. 1854, Amboy, Ill., dau. of David Bullock and Comfort Pixley. Sam'l liv. in Gratham and Enfield, N. H. Six ch. were b. there and mov. to Mentor, O. in 1833. Have data on all of Samuel's ch. The abv. was giv. by Samuel's dau. but failed to give dates, place lived or military records.—Mrs. Wm. C. Houghton, 214 Miramar Ave., San Clemente, Cal.

Ridgeway-Tranum-Barton-Alexander-Bird-Gilliand—Inf. wanted on lineage of Elijah Ridgeway, m. Clarissa Tranum; d. Warrenton, Ala. Had son David, b. June 7, 1836 in Marshall Co., Ala., d. July 17, 1886, Springfield, Ark., m. Sarah Vaughn.

Also on **Nat Barton**, m. Martha or Margaret Alexander. Had son James Monroe, b. Apr. 15, 1865 in Tenn.; dau. Margaret, m. Jack Willis. Fam. came from Jefferson Co., Ala. to Hardeman Co., Tenn.

Also on **William Thomas Bird**, m. Mary Gilliand, d. in Union Hospital, Little Rock, Ark. dur. Civil War. Had son, William Thomas Bird, b. July 18, 1857 in Ala.—Mrs. S. L. LaPlant, Box 203, New Madrid, Mo.

Answers

Busby—Replying to query abt. m. of Isaac Busby, s. of Nicholas Busby and Mary French of
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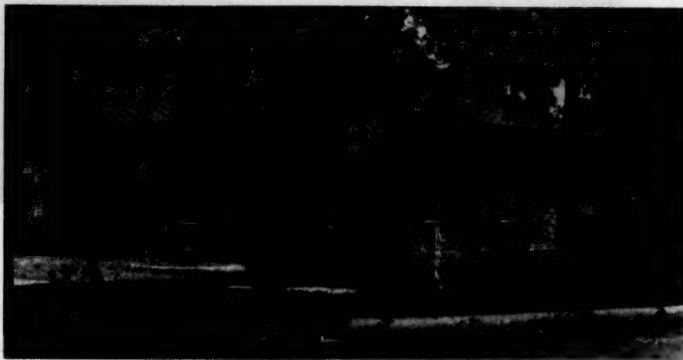
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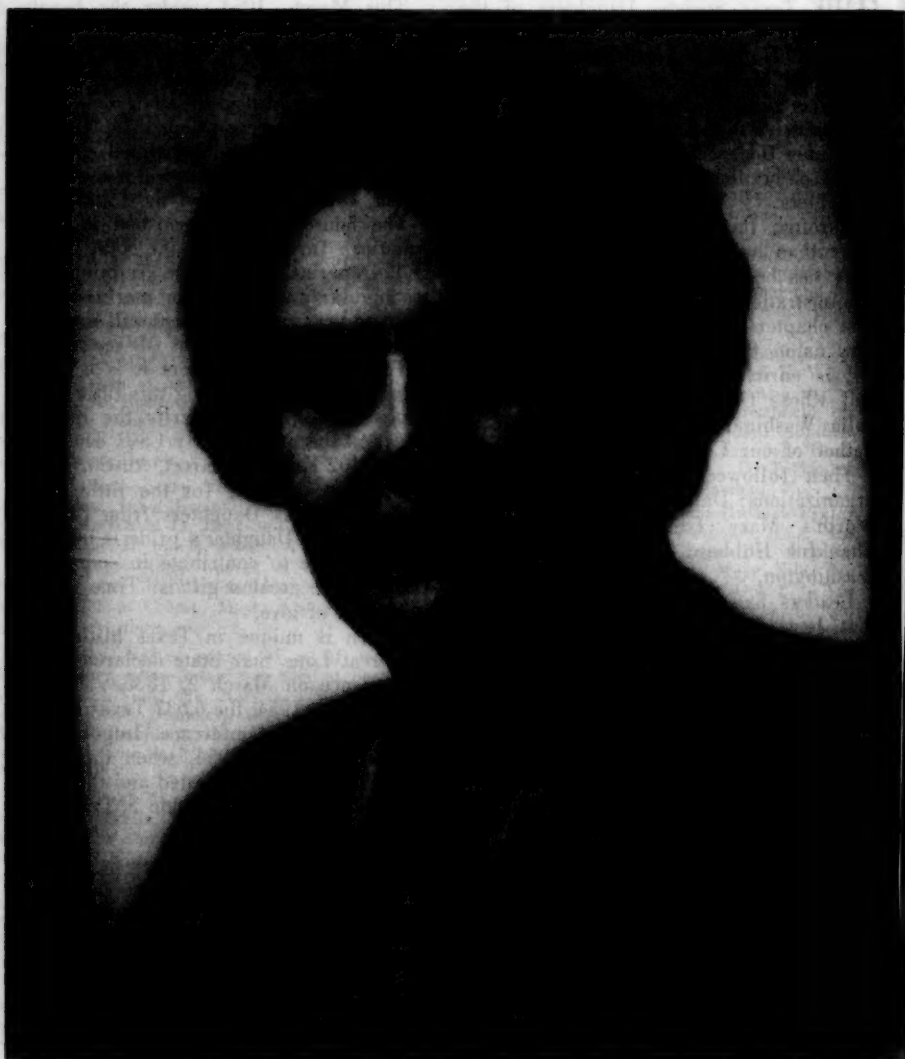
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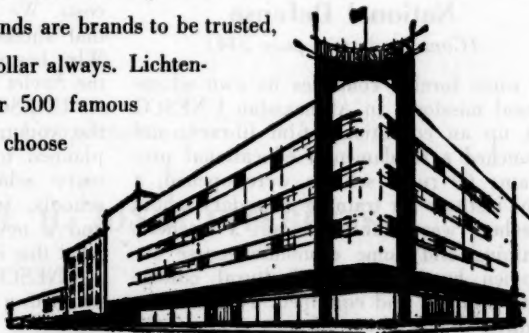
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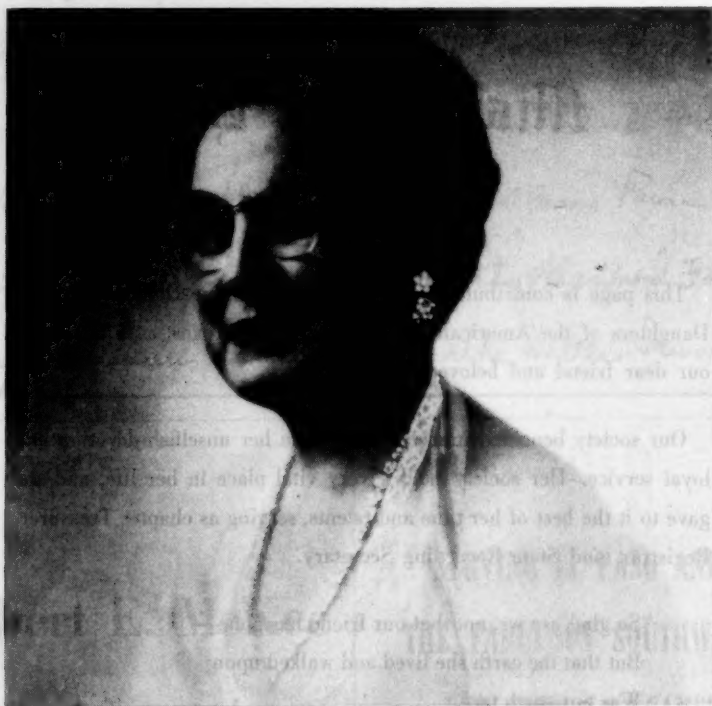
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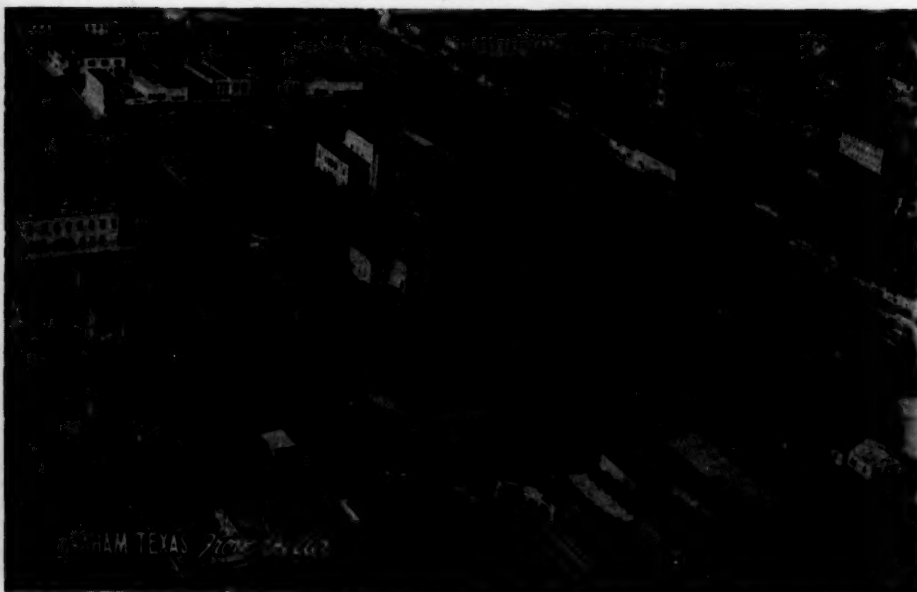
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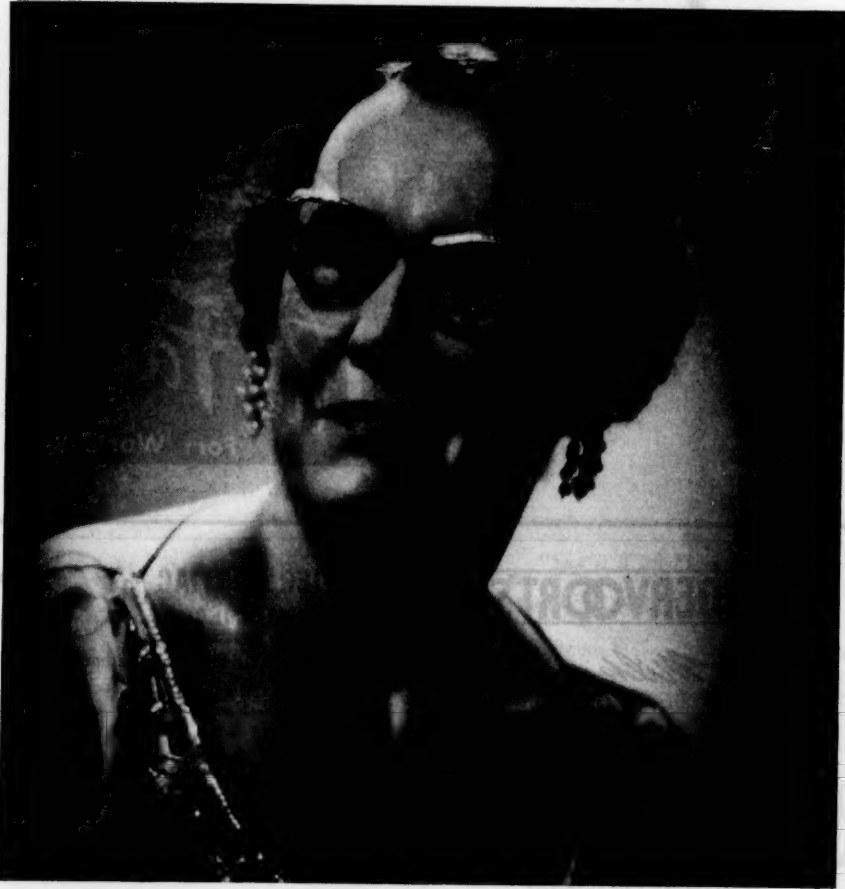
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and the Charter members of George Washington Chapter, the first Chapter organized in Texas.

In 1836 the battle of San Jacinto gave the Republic of Texas its freedom, and in that same year Col. Michael B. Menard purchased from the Republic for \$50,000.00 a grant of land on the east end of Galveston Island which was to become the site of the city of Galveston.

Fifty-nine years later, on June 17, 1895, a group of nineteen women of illustrious lineage held a momentous meeting. The day was the anniversary of the Battle of Bunker Hill. It was also six years after the Society of the Sons of the American Revolution had voted to refuse membership to women. The nineteen women gathered at the residence of Mrs. George Seeligson, which at that time was located at 1228 Ball Avenue. (The residence has since been torn down.) All nineteen of them were lineal descendants of soldiers

who had fought so valiantly in the battles of the American Revolution and who thus were among the real founders of the United States of America.

The nineteen women were called together by Mrs. Julia Washington Fontaine, a great-granddaughter of Colonel Samuel Washington, who was a full brother of General George Washington. She was also member No. 611 of a new National Society named the Daughters of the American Revolution.

As a result of this meeting, the first Chapter in Texas of the Daughters of the American Revolution was organized, and this mother chapter was appropriately named the **GEORGE WASHINGTON CHAPTER**.

At that time Galveston presented a very different appearance from what it looks like now-a-days. It was a sea-level city, not protected from the fury of Gulf hurricanes by a massive concrete seawall nor raised up above the level of hurricane tides as it is today.

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Among the illustrious members of **GEORGE WASHINGTON CHAPTER** have been Miss Eugenia Washington, a cousin of George Washington. She was member No. 1 of the National Society and she transferred from the Chapter to which she originally belonged to the Chapter bearing the name of her renowned kinsman.

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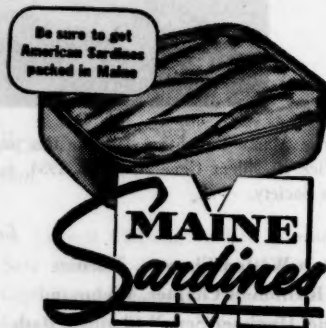
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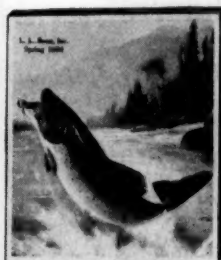
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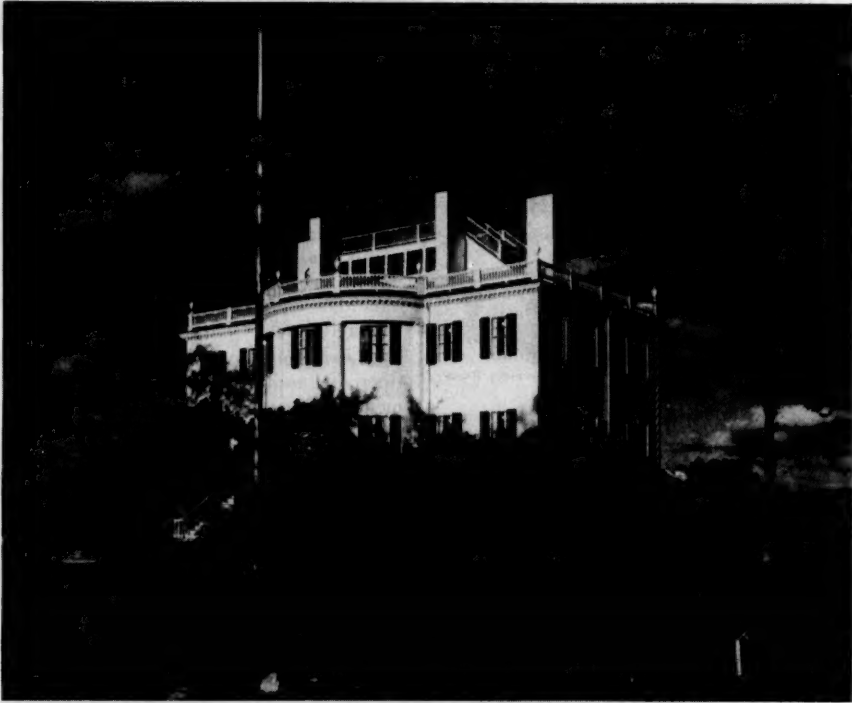
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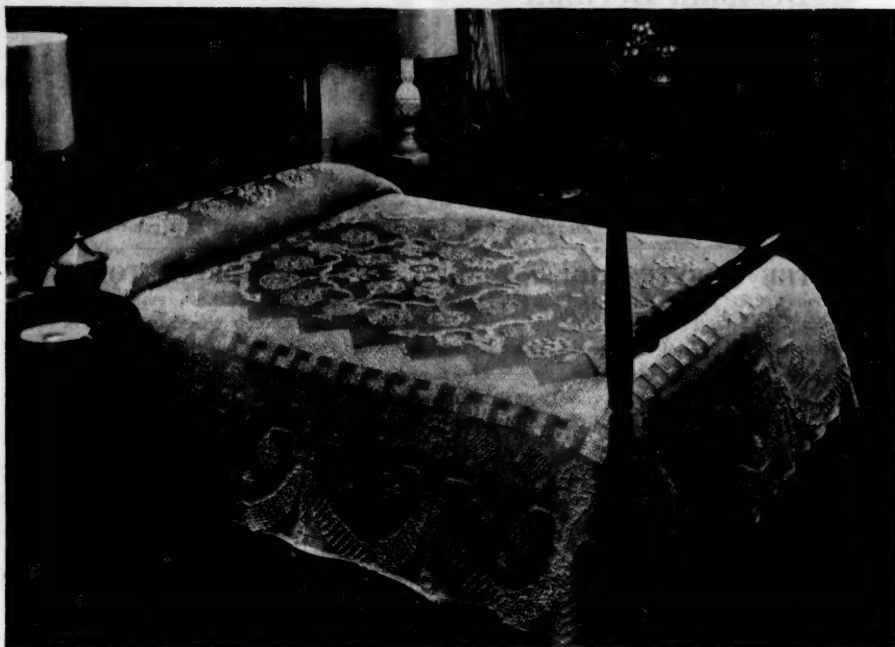
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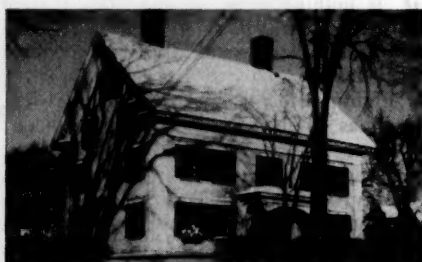
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In 1810 the log cabin of her son was destroyed by fire by sparks from a 50-acre chopping near his home. The following day pioneers in the settlement gathered and by nightfall a small frame was up and boarded in.

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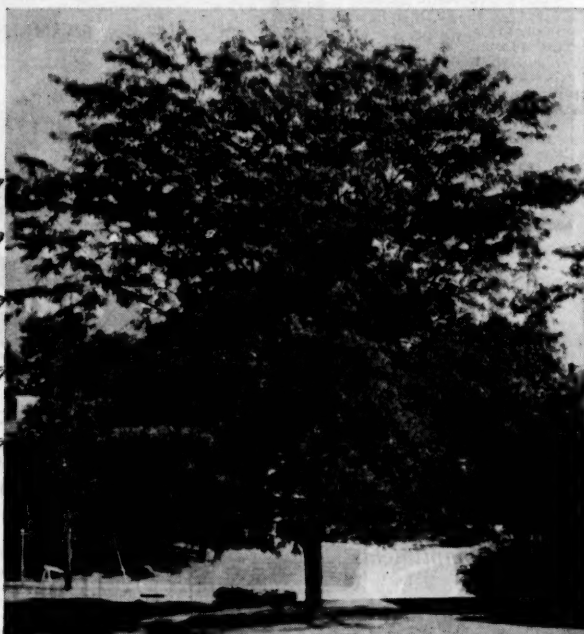
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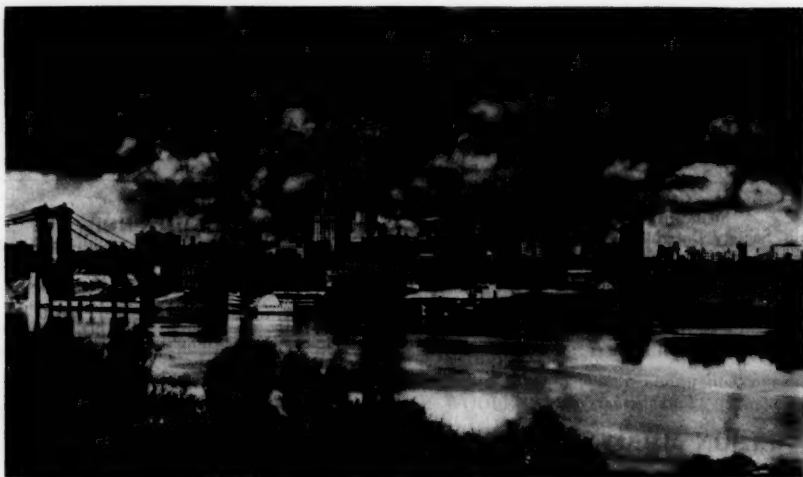
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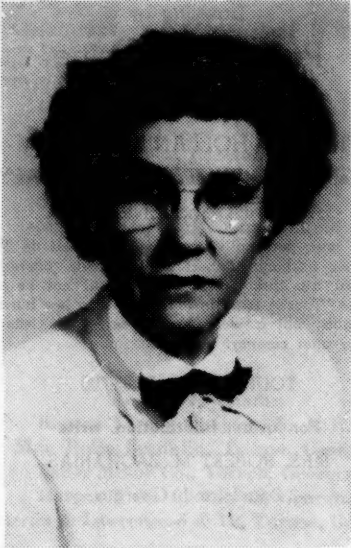
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The Program Chairman of the Rotarians invited Mrs. Danforth and Mrs. Galloway to speak at their luncheon meeting on the history and work of the N. S. D. A. R. The Rotarians received the ladies with their usual courtesy and close attention.

Mrs. Danforth enlarged upon the early history of our organization, stressing its work for better citizenship along the lines of historical appreciation, educational training, patriotic endeavor and general policies.

The activities of the many committees were explained by Mrs. Galloway in as much detail as time permitted.

The members of the Rotary group expressed their keen interest in learning directly of the impressive work of the Society which had hitherto been a nebulous knowledge.



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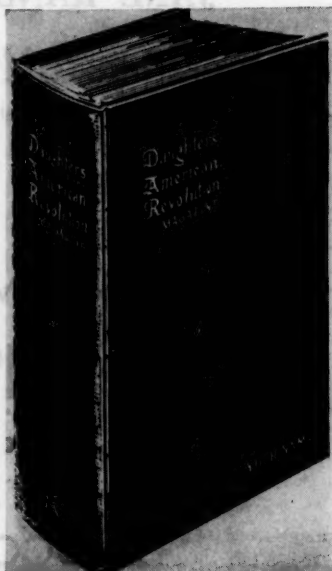
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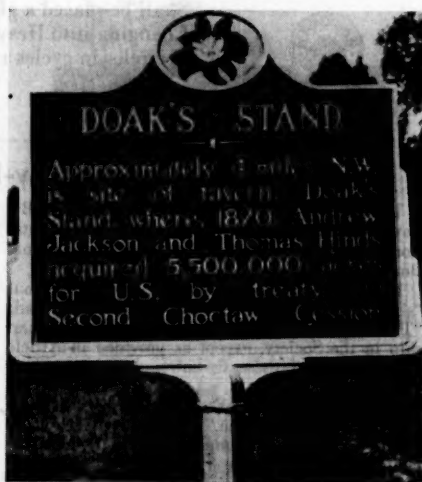
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Three Revisions of By-Laws to Be Considered

Three revisions of the National Society's By-Laws will be considered by the 63rd Continental Congress, upon recommendation of the National Board of Management.

1. Amend Article V, Section 2, by striking out "six" and inserting "ten," so that it will read: "The initiation fee of all applicants for membership in the Society, except as provided in Article 1, Section 2, of these By-Laws, shall be ten dollars."

2. Amend Article V, Section 12, by striking out "five" and inserting "ten," so that it will read: "A fee of \$10 shall accompany each supplemental claim, to establish the right for additional ancestral bars."

3. Amend Article V, Section 2, by adding the

following sentence: "In event application papers cannot be verified within the time limit which shall be fixed by ruling of the National Board of Management one-half of the initiation fee shall be applied toward expense of the Registrar General's office in attempting to verify the papers, and one-half shall be returned to the applicant or the Chapter with the dues and the papers which were submitted."

These amendments, if adopted, the Board felt, would help meet the deficits occasioned by expenses in the Registrar General's office.

A general revision of the National Society's Constitution and By-Laws will be asked at Congress by the National Board, the last general revision going back to 1927.

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State Activities

(Continued from page 249)

A Piano Recital by Mrs. Isaac D. Gindhart, preceded the opening session, Tuesday morning. Reports of the State Officers, Resolutions Committee, and the election of Mrs. Thomas Henry Lee, Past State Regent, and now Recording Secretary General, as an Honorary State Regent for life, was the order of business. The highlight of this session was the address by Mrs. James B. Patton, Honorary President General and National Chairman of National Defense. She stressed the fact that America is a Republic, not a Democracy, and also, that with every right goes a responsibility. Mrs. Patton explained possible dangers arising out of the functioning of the United Nations and spoke of the need for the Bricker Amendment which would prevent any Treaty superseding the Constitution of the United States. She urged us not to join any organization in our communities until we have learned who is behind the movement on a national basis.

Music at the Tuesday morning session was provided by Mrs. Paul D. Frazer, a member of the Bach Choir of Indiana, Penna., accompanied by Mrs. William A. Ruddock.

Reports of the Chapter Regents were given at the afternoon session. The featured speaker was Dr. Robert Lee Kincaid, President, Lincoln Memorial University, Harrogate, Tennessee, whose talk made many new friends for the University.

The State Dinner was held Tuesday evening in the Ballroom of the Hotel, with an address "America Faces the World" by Dr. Solomon B. Freehoff, well-known lec-

turer and traveler of Pittsburgh, Penna.

Preceding the last session on Wednesday morning, Mrs. J. Salem Flack presented a Piano Recital. Reports of the State Chairmen were given at this session and the Resolutions read and passed. The Recommendation of the State Board of Management that the Project for this Administration be the redecorating and renewing of the Foyer in Memorial Continental Hall, passed unanimously.

The Conference ended with the singing of Auld Lang Syne and the Retiring of the Colors.

Mrs. Allen L. Baker
State Recording Secretary

Genealogy

(Continued from page 272)

Burlington Co., N. J. "The Descendants of Thomas French," pub. 1909 by Howard B. French, covers both French and Busby fam. In Vol. I, p. 174, he erroneously states "Isaac Busby m. Martha —", giv. no date nor source of statement. Busby fam. Bible rec. pub. N. J. Mar., and Isaac Busby's own will, prob. 1777 indicate his w. was Rachel Sharp, whom he m. in Burlington Co., Apr. 5, 1743. She was dau. of William Sharp and Rebecca Allen of Burlington Co. Isaac Busby's oldest bro. Thomas and w., Margaret Haines, had s. Isaac Busby, whose mar. is rec. in the Minutes of the Haddonfield Quaker Meeting to Martha Lippincott, dau. of Nathaniel Lippincott and Mary Engle of Gloucester Co., N. J., the 10th mo. of 1771, the rec. specifically designating "Isaac Busby son of Thomas." This is the only Isaac Busby-Martha — marriage that has been found. This obvious error in the French Genealogy has caused considerable confusion, as it has been quoted in other sketches of the Busby Family without checking sources.— Mrs. R. S. Peterson, 17142 Littlefield Ave., Detroit 35, Mich.

Query Correction

Magill-Grove query in January issue should read "Charles William Magill, b. Feb. 14, 1785."

LEW WALLACE CHAPTER, N. S. D. A. R.

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Charlotte Parker (Mrs. Francis C. Wilson) passed away recently, after having been in ill health for some time. A member of the Stephen Watts Kearny Chapter, of Santa Fe, New Mexico, she was State Regent of New Mexico 1924-26; and Vice President General, 1930-33.

Quiz Program

1. At what spot does a Navy regulation require the tolling of the ship's bell by naval vessels?
2. Who gave the first bell of the Bell Tower at the Washington Memorial Chapel at Valley Forge?
3. How did California acquire its name?
4. In what year was the first census of the United States authorized by Congress?
5. Can you name the locations of the highest and lowest altitudes in the United States?
6. Did Marquis de Lafayette have a first name and, if so, what is it?
7. What is a general symbol of popular education?
8. The Junior Members of the D. A. R. fulfilled what laudable project in March, 1945?
9. How many Presidents General are listed for the Society?
10. Why is the 2nd Tuesday in March a Red Letter Day in the old New England Towns?

ANSWERS

1. When passing Washington's tomb at Mt. Vernon between the hours of sunrise and sunset.
2. The Massachusetts D. A. R.
3. It was bestowed by the Spanish Conquistadors—it being the name of an imaginary island near an earthly paradise and taken from a romance written in 1510.
4. 1790—March 1 being the date of the bill.
5. Highest—Mt. McKinley in Alaska. Lowest—Death Valley in California.
6. Marie Joseph Yves Gilbert Du Motier Lafayette.
7. The Red schoolhouse, because red paint was the cheapest paint a few generations ago.
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9. 21.
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Texas led with \$5,000 worth of ads. In charge was Mrs. Neill F. Amsler, State Chairman of D. A. R. Magazine Advertising. Corpus Christi Chapter, which won a national prize for advertising last year, led the Texas Chapters again this year. John McKnitt Alexander Chapter was second; with Colonel George Moffett Chapter third; and Samuel Sorrell Chapter fourth.

Ohio, which like Texas sponsored an issue last year, had about \$1,750 worth of ads in this issue, under the leadership of Miss Claire Gipson, State Chairman of the D. A. R. Magazine Advertising Committee. Cincinnati Chapter was first in ads, with Sally DeForest Chapter second; Massillon Chapter third; and Franklinton Chapter fourth.

Maine Daughters obtained \$1,250 worth of ads, as set forth in detail on page 315.

Georgia Chapters sent in over \$900 worth of advertising for the issue. In charge was Mrs. John J. Cummings, Sr., State Chairman for D. A. R. Magazine Advertising.

Missouri and many other States which sent in ads last year again sent ads for this issue. To all Chapters and States we are most grateful.

Advertisements have now come from every State. The amount of advertising so far this year is well ahead of last year's record. Subscriptions as of February 1 totaled more than 27,000, a remarkable gain in recent months.

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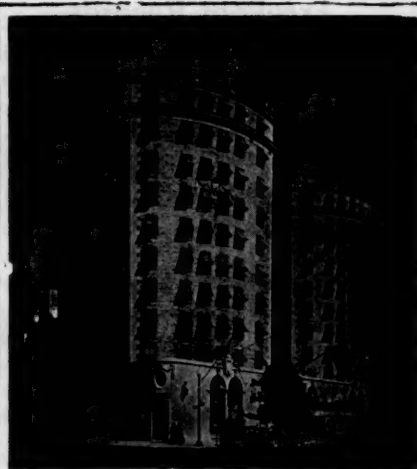
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